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Weather

Variable weather. The maximum temperature yesterday was 95.2 and the minimum 76.6, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 90.9 and 77.0.

The Mail Bag

MAILS for U. S. and Europe. Pres. Pierce, Sept. 3.
FROM U. S. and Europe. Str. Pres. Lincoln, Sept. 2.
FOR Europe via Suez, Str. Patroclus, noon today.
FROM Europe via Suez, Str. Amboise, Sept. 2.

Freights And Rates

Slack Buying Lessens Demand. 30 Percent More Ships Tied Up

BUSINESS in all branches of the freight market has remained dull, shippers lacking the incentive to operate in view of the very poor buying markets in Europe and America for China's products and the restricted requirements of raw materials. Tonnage has been accumulating in all markets and owners, desirous of a return cargo in order to tie up on arrival, have been forced to accept lower rates.

The trend of the freight and charter market continues to move in the direction of a further restriction of demand and a shading of freights here and there. Ocean freight movement is slow, a plethora of space could be secured both on incoming and outgoing vessels. Upper Yangtsze River traffic is still in an uncertain state, but below Hankow it is normal. There is a good demand for space for the export of tea from China, while shipments of silk are half of the usual exports this time of the season.

MILITARY INTERFERENCE

The interference by the military parties in the interior with shipping is seriously affecting the coastal freights. Bulk cargo along the route is rare, but there is a steady flow, which is likely to increase soon. The political muddle is militating against any appreciable improvement in the situation, the coastwise freight depending largely on the restoration of order and good government in the country.

The shipment of ballast bean oil from Dairen to Europe has decreased remarkably and freights have fallen off accordingly. The China Homeward Freight Conference has consequently announced a reduction of freight from 90 shillings a ton to 77 shillings a ton, effective since August 15.

The anti-Japanese boycott has hit Japanese shipping hard in the China waters. Throughout all services maintained by the Japanese companies, a decrease monthly is noted, and has been in evidence since March last. The Yangtsze river service operated by the Nisshin Kisen Kaisha was the hardest hit and the service virtually stopped.

ONE SHIP COC 12 TONS

A good illustration of the bad state of business in Shanghai at the present moment is the fact that a Spanish vessel, the first one to call here for many years, took only 12 tons of merchandise on her return trip, and this disheartening situation not only prevails in Shanghai, but in Tientsin, Tsingtau, Dalny and to a certain extent at Hankow. The slackness is unusual for this time of the year.

Germany, which before the French occupation of the Ruhr, was a big market for China products has naturally to curtail her imports now on account of internal troubles and a discredited and depreciated currency. International trading continues on a hand-to-mouth scale and the demand for cargo tonnage is consequently very restricted. Grain shippers in Europe are indifferent and are likely to remain so until the autumn season commences, while the only other cargo offering in bulk in Europe is American coal, for which the inquiry both on European and South American account is very small, notwithstanding the relative cheapness of current supplies and the low freight rates now obtaining. The tonnage supply throughout all markets this month has been far in excess of present or prospective requirements and the outlook is most discouraging. Returns of idle shipping record an increase of fully 30 percent.

REGULAR SERVICES?

The slack market which the shipping trade everywhere is experiencing might lead to companies by degrees abandoning such regular services as do not pay. In the case of some steamship companies this is improbable for they take this as an opportune time to prepare for future activity by cutting down operating expenses and by securing new lines or resuming old ones they had given up. A slight decline is noticed in the number of Japanese vessels tied up. The number of vessels moored at the principal ports of Japan is stated to be 260, consisting of 117 steamships with a tonnage of 35,791 and 113 sailing vessels with a tonnage of 15,721.

As a result of the recent conference in London, the Messageries Maritimes, the Hamburg-America Line, Hugo Stinnes Line, the Lloyd Triestino, the Barber Line and the Osaka Shosen Kaisha have been included as new members of the Committee of

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LEGALITY OF RUHR SEIZURE DEFENDED IN BELGIAN NOTE

Only Puts In Practice What Allies Contemplated

WILL NOT YIELD

Sees Definite Linking Of German And Inter-Allied Debts

(Reuter's Service)

Brussels, Aug. 28.—The Belgian Note, dealing with the legality of the occupation of the Ruhr, claims that the Belgian Government had only put into practice what the Allied Governments had unanimously contemplated in identical circumstances before.

It recalls that Spa understanding that the Allied decisions with regard to coal should be enforced by occupation of fresh German territory, and adds that at previous meetings the legality of the occupation was not questioned.

The Note reiterates the determination of the French and Belgian Governments not to withdraw from the Ruhr except in proportion as Germany pays, but when passive resistance ceases measures will be taken to restore the regime in the Ruhr to that sketched out on January 10.

The Note says that discussions have progressed and the problems of reparations and inter-Allied debts are now definitely linked together. The minimum figure indicated by several of the Allies leaves open the possibility that the reparations debt will eventually show a considerable reduction on the nominal figure in the schedule of payments of May 5, 1921.

It has already been agreed that it is necessary that Germany's currency should be stabilised and her financial regime supervised by the Allies. Belgium has received from Germany 1,299,000,000 gold marks, Britain 1,297,000,000 gold marks, France 1,175,500,000 gold marks and the other countries 632,000,000 gold marks.

The Note explains with regard to Belgium's suggestion of preference in respect of devastated regions that by "devastated regions" is meant any material damage suffered by the Allies, including losses to British shipping through German action.

Belgium on this basis would be entitled to 13 percent of German reparations, amounting to 6,500,000,000 gold marks, of which 1,500,000,000 gold marks have already been paid. The schedule of payments provided over 10,000,000,000 gold marks for Belgium, and Belgium is willing to sacrifice the difference in the interests of a joint, rapid settlement, which is very necessary to enable her to restore her financial equilibrium.

(Reuter's Service)

London, Aug. 28.—With regard to the Belgian suggestion of informal inter-Allied conversations, Reuter's Agency understands from an unofficial, well-informed source that the British Government is willing to participate in such conversations if there is a reasonable prospect of success, but if the French and Belgian points of view are not susceptible of modification, such conversations would be worse than useless.

It is understood that the British view is still that Britain's case has everything to gain by publicity. Britain could only agree to resumption of secret diplomatic conversations in the event of the Allies clearly expressing a desire for agreement and readiness to modify their attitude in accordance with the exigencies of the situation.

(Reuter's Service)

London, Aug. 28.—The publication of the Belgian Note was accompanied by an improvement in the franc exchange. French francs closed at 79.80 and Belgian francs at 96.80 to the £.—

Wirth May Go To Moscow As Envoy

(Reuter's Service)

Warsaw, Aug. 28.—It is reported from Moscow that political circles expect that Dr. Wirth will shortly be appointed German envoy to Russia.

Protest Sent To Council As Result Of Police Raid On Supposed Opium Shop

Pawnbroker Whose Premises Were Visited Alleges Officials Conducted Search In Illegal Manner; Council Denies Imputation

Condemnation of actions of the police in conducting a search for opium at 339 Chekiang Road on August 2 is contained in a letter to the Council from Mr. L. K. Kentwell, representing the owner of the shop raided. Replying, the Council states that after investigation it is convinced that the search was properly carried out and that the Chinese account of it must be considerably exaggerated.

The correspondence, which appears in today's Municipal Gazette, is as follows:

Shanghai, Aug. 7, 1923.

Sir: I am instructed by my client, Mr. Zung Bai-ayuin, manager of Zung Yuen Pawnshop, situate at No. 339 Chekiang Road, to lodge with the Council a most emphatic protest against the drastic manner in which the Police carried out their raid at the above premises at about 12:15 p.m. on the 2nd instant. The raid was carried out under the direction of Mr. M. O. Springfield, Assistant Commissioner of Police, with ten foreigners (three in uniform) and one Chinese detective.

It appears that the raid was conducted in a most rough and rude fashion; goods and articles of pawn were scattered all over the floor without any regard for the convenience of the pawnshop and several articles of jewellery are now missing; the party entered the premises and at once bolted the front and back doors; no search warrant was exhibited to the manager of the place; the inmates were at once huddled together on the ground floor like pigs in a pen, while the party went upstairs to search for opium of which no trace was found. It was natural, it being a pawnshop and not an opium den.

While the search was in progress, some one of the party entered the kitchen where a large leather trunk was found; they asked for its key and when informed that the owner of the trunk was away and the key could not be found, some one of the party got excited and slapped the face of one of the pawnshop's assistants; then the search party immediately broke open the trunk and damaged it beyond repair.

I respectfully submit that in this instance, if the Police suspected there was opium in the trunk, they should have taken the trunk to the Police Station, secure a key and open it, and not to damage and destroy property in the way it was done.

It is almost unbelievable that with such an experienced and efficient officer as Mr. Springfield, who conducted the raid, he found it necessary to destroy and damage property of Chinese citizens.

It further appears that while they were searching the premises for opium, they had ripped open a large number of packages containing articles of pawn and got them all mixed up, so that most of the bamboo tags which were attached to these articles for the purpose of identification are now missing and it is almost impossible to identify them with the tags missing. My client also desires me to report that several articles of jewellery were missing after the party left, and whether they were carried away by the search party or they got lost while the raid was being made, it is difficult to say now; my client fears that the pledgors of these articles may give him lots of trouble if he is unable to return the pledgors the articles pledged by them with the pawnshop, and my client looks to the Council for reparation and reimbursement.

I am further instructed by my client to draw your serious attention to the fact that if promiscuous searches are allowed to go on unchecked under the guise of searching for opium, there will be no end to it, and the Chinese citizens of this Settlement will have a genuine grievance against the Police, particularly, when premises are used for carrying on a legitimate business as in the case of this pawnshop.

I respectfully submit that a pawnshop carrying on a legitimate business should be subjected to a search in the manner as above described, and my client feels that his reputation and that of his pawnshop has been greatly damaged and he holds the Council responsible for the action of the Police and for the loss of the articles pawned.

My client again desires me to call your very serious attention to the fact that the Police relied on the information of certain informers in making this raid, and in this case the Police has been misinformed.

I may point out to you, Sir, that my client does not dispute the right of the Police to search premises for opium, but he does insist that the Police should at least verify the source of their information before making the search, and should show some courtesy and consideration to the inmates when they enter premises for the purpose of making a search, and that the strictest discipline should be maintained and

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VOTE IN ERIN SURPRISINGLY LIGHT, RESULT IS PRO-TREATY

Total Poll Will Not Average More Than 70 Percent

VOTING ORDERLY

Labor Party Makes Poor Showing; Republicans Active

(Reuter's Service)

London, Aug. 28.—The first preferences in the Irish elections show the election of the Ministers, Messrs. Cosgrave, Kevin O'Higgins, Mulcahy and McNeill, and of the Irregular Chief of Staff, Mr. Aitken.

(Reuter's Service)

London, Aug. 28.—The state of the parties in the Irish elections at midnight was as follows:

Government Party 9.
Republicans 2.
Commercial Party 2.
Labor Party 1.
Farmer's Party 1.

(Reuter's Service)

London, Aug. 29.—The Free State Ministers, Messrs Walshe, Blythe, Duggan and McGrath, have been returned, thus eight out of eleven have been re-elected. The Republicans returned include Countess Markievicz and "Acting-President" Rutledge.

The latest position of the parties is as follows:

Government	16
Republican	4
Independent	3
Farmer's	2
Labor	1

(Reuter's Service)

London, August 28.—Early returns of the Free State elections indicate an overwhelming pro-Treaty victory but it is generally agreed that the total poll is disappointing and probably the average throughout the country will be below 70 percent. The Republicans polled their full strength but the Labor Party was very apathetic. The count, which began this morning, has hitherto revealed much cross-voting. Apparently a large proportion of the voters did not find the proportional representation system as simple as was imagined. The most satisfactory feature was the absence of serious disturbances. Altogether the elections were very orderly, which is regarded as a matter for congratulation in the circumstances. The returns of the three Ministers, Messrs. Fitzgerald, Hogan and Finian Lynch, are still outstanding. The re-election of the first two are assured but the last-named is doubtful. The Republican, Mr. Richard Barton, a signatory of the Treaty, was defeated.

MISSION LEAVES

(Reuter's Service)

Riga, Aug. 28.—It is reported from Moscow that the members of the Kozloff expedition to Mongolia and Tibet left Irkutsk today for Troitskosavsk.

-:- World's Eight Richest Men -:-

Above: Henry Ford, John D. Rockefeller, Hugo Stinnes & Andrew Mellon. Below: Duke of Westminster, Gaekwar of Baroda, Percy Rockefeller, Duncan Mafarlane.

HENRY Ford has passed John D. Rockefeller as the world's richest man, the Detroit automobile manufacturer being worth, according to conservative estimates, at least one billion dollars. Rockefeller's wealth is considered a close second. Hugo Stinnes, the great German industrialist, is believed to rank as the third richest man. Andrew H. Mellon, of Pittsburgh, the Secretary of the Treasury in President Coolidge's Cabinet, is worth at least $150,000,000. The Duke of Westminster, largest owner of landed estates and other property in England, is believed to be worth $100,000,000. Baron Mitsui is known as "the Rockefeller of Japan." The Gaekwar of Baroda wrongly reported dead India's wealthiest potentate, with incalculable wealth. Percy A. Rockefeller is believed to have inherited at least $150,000,000 from his father, the late William Rockefeller, brother of John D.

ASSESSOR MEAD PRESENTED WITH SILVER PLAQUE

Retiring Vice-Consul Honored By Chinese Lawyers

Mr. E. W. Mead, Vice-Consul and Senior British Assessor in the International Mixed Court was presented with a silver plaque by members of the Chinese legal profession in Shanghai at the British Consulate-General yesterday afternoon.

The occasion was Mr. Mead's retirement from the Consular service to join the Salt Gabelle at Peking.

On the plaque were engraved four Chinese characters for "an excellent official from over the seas," Mr. Mead's name, and the names of the lawyers presenting it.

Mr. Chang Nieh-yun speaking on behalf of those present paid Mr. Mead a deserved compliment.

"My friends have done me the honor by asking me to be their spokesman on this occasion," Mr. Chang said. "but they may not realise that the large number of years in my age may carry with it a corresponding diminution in brain and intellectual powers and I fear I shall not do full justice to their sentiments. As Chinese members of the Bar at the Mixed Court we have come to bid you farewell and wish you success in your new post and career.

"We wish to place on record our appreciation of the courtesy which you have shown in a full measure to us and all members of the Bar and though the Court loses one of its able and fair-minded Assessors we feel some satisfaction in knowing that the Salt Gabelle gains an efficient and loyal official who we feel sure will in course of time succeed and continue in the efficient work done by Sir Richard Dane and other British officials in that service.

"We feel sure that your Honor fully deserves the designation which we have engraven on this little memento, "Hai Wai Hao Kuan" which may be rendered "An excellent official from over the Seas" and we ask your acceptance of this souvenir and to carry away with you our high esteem and friendly regards."

Mr. Mead thanked his Chinese friends for their gift and said he would always treasure it as a memento of a very pleasant time in Shanghai. He leaves for Peking on Saturday.

TYPHOON AGAIN RECURVES AWAY FROM SHANGHAI

Center Of Storm Expected To Pass Between Here And Nagasaki

The typhoon warning was given again yesterday afternoon, but Siccawei Observatory announced last night that latest indications were that the center, which had been headed for the mouth of the Yangtsze, would swing further to seaward, passing between Shanghai and Nagasaki.

The observatory bulletin stated that there was rough weather at sea between the Saddles and Kiusiu and that the storm center appeared to be recurving in a more Northerly direction. Thus Shanghai is not expected to feel the effects so much as in the case of the typhoon of last week.

U.S. Asked To Pay Rebate On Ships

(Reuter's Service)

Calcutta, Aug. 28.—The Karnani Steamship Company has memorialised the American Secretary of State, Mr. Hughes, requesting payment of $160,000 for losses sustained in connection with the purchase of American Government wooden ships in 1919, contending that the Company was induced to purchase by the American Consul-General in Calcutta and that the vessels subsequently proved unseaworthy and uninsurable.

General Wood Is Coming To China On Visit

Governor-General Leonard Wood of the Philippines will come to China on a visit some time this fall, according to an announcement he has just made in Manila.

General Wood made the announcement in denying a rumor that he would return to the United States in February of next year, and probably not return to his Manila post.

"That's all a pipe dream," General Wood declared. "I'll remain in Manila until some time during the late Fall when I'm going to run up to China on a trip. Even that is not certain as it may not be possible for me to get away when I plan. But I'm not returning to the United States."

TWO U.S. FLIERS FAIL TO REMAIN IN AIR 50 HOURS

Food And Fuel Lowered To Them At Intervals By Other 'Ships'

(Reuter's Service)

San Diego, Cal., August 29.—The airmen, Captain Lowell Smith and Lieut. John Richter, have landed after flying for 37 hours 15 minutes, beating the Macready-Yelly record of 36 hours 5 minutes. The machine made 15 contacts for re-fuelling.

(Reuter's Service)

San Diego, Cal., Aug. 28.—Captain Lowell Smith and Lieut. John Richter are circling over a course over San Diego in an aeroplane, which takes on fuel and sustained flying records. They hope to remain aloft for 50 hours or at least 45.

In the first 24 hours the airmen were re-fuelled and re-provisioned several times. They broke two records: the 2,500 kilometers record in 17 hours 32 mins. 54 4-5 secs. and the 3,000 kilometers record in 21 hours 11 mins. They maintained an average speed of 91½ miles per hour.

A hot breakfast was lowered, in a basket from another aeroplane at seven o'clock in the morning. After this they were about to make a forced landing owing to shortage of petrol, but a supply was forthcoming and was successfully taken in.

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, August 28.—Lieut. Thoret won the prize at the Vauville meeting for the longest straight flight in a glider, covering five miles in adverse weather. He was forced to alight in the sea, and stripped and swam ashore, climbing up the cliff to the aerodrome.

M. Maneyrol with a low-powered aviette won the prize for speed, flying 19 miles with an average speed of 59¾ miles per hour.

Production Cost Increase Blamed For Trade Loss

(Reuter's Service)

London, Aug. 28.—The excessive cost of production was the reason ascribed for Lancashire's loss of export trade by Mr. Kenneth Lee, presiding at a meeting of the Tootal Broadhurst Lee Co., Ltd. He declared that the cost of spinning and manufacturing had doubled since the war and that of bleaching, dycing and printing nearly trebled.

Mr. Lee stated that the United States, Japan and Switzerland did 12 percent of the British export trade before the war, and were doing 33 percent last year.

GIVE UP HOPE THAT MYLIE IS SURVIVOR OF TYPHOON

Searchers Return After Unavailing Quest

NO TRACE FOUND

Missing Vessel Believed Lost With All Hands

After an exhaustive and fruitless search of the seas the salvage vessel St. Dominic wirelessed the result of her cruise to Shanghai yesterday, practically confirming the fear that the steamer Mylie had gone down with all hands, including six foreign officers and a crew of about 60 and possibly passengers as well, in the typhoon which swept across the Saddles last week.

The radio message, received by the Shanghai Tug and Lighter Company yesterday afternoon, stated that though the vicinity of the Saddles and adjacent islands had been carefully gone over no trace whatever of the missing vessel or of possible survivors had been found. The St. Dominic, which set out on the search Monday night, was returning from her tragic quest. Mr. Eric Moller of Moller and Co., owners of the Mylie, went with the salvage vessel on her cruise.

OFFICERS WELL KNOWN

The foreign officers of the Mylie, who were nearly all very well known here, were Captain Harry Mays; Chief Officer Commander John R. Hudson, F.R.G.S., F.R.A.S.; Chief Engineer Harvey Green; Second Engineer J. G. Auld; Third Engineer J. Morgan, and the Second Officer, whose name is not known here.

The Chinese crew numbered between 50 and 60 and it is thought that there may have been passengers aboard as well, as the Mylie has carried them on previous occasions.

Captain Mays was a native of Lincolnshire and had a notable career at sea.

Commander Hudson has an admirable record as an explorer and as a scientist. He was navigator on two expeditions to the Antarctic and was a Fellow of the Royal Geographic and Royal Astronomical Societies. He was the inventor of a deep sea sounding device which is in general use and also of an instrument known as the "angle-meter. He was born in Jersey, Channel Islands, in 1887 and was a graduate of H. M. Schoolship Conway.

The third engineer, Mr. Morgan, was formerly connected with the Standard Oil Installation here.

The name of the Second Officer is not known here by the officers of Moller and Co. or the Kailan Mining Administration, charterers of the ship, but it is believed that he was a Russian who was signed on at one of the outports.

SEEN IN DISTRESS

The Mylie, which was on her way to Shanghai from Chinwangtao with a cargo of coal, was last sighted, off the Saddles and evidently in distress, by the Butterfield and Swire steamer Changchow on the night of August 28. The vessel appeared to be drifting helplessly before the gale, which was at its height, and heading straight into the islands. The terrific rain which accompanied the typhoon made the distinguishing of landmarks and signals impossible and it was believed that the Mylie, if it did not founder outright, could not escape being dashed upon the rocks. The fact that no wreckage was discovered leads to the belief that the ship went down.

The Mylie was constructed in Shanghai and was of 3,000 tons. She was 250 feet in length with a beam of forty feet and was regarded as a particularly staunch vessel.

Egyptian Revolt Leader To Return

(Reuter's Service)

Cairo, Aug. 28. — Zaghlul Pasha, the Egyptian Nationalist leader, announces that he will return to Egypt on September 12.

REFUGEE REPORT IS FORWARDED TO LEAGUE OFFICIAL

Local Committee Sends Particulars To Commission In Geneva

A very comprehensive and enlightening report on the Russian refugee situation in Shanghai has been forwarded to Dr. Nansen High Commissioner for Refugees of the League of Nations at Geneva, by the Refugee Relief Advisory Committee.

The report, which lack of space prevents publishing in this issue, gives a succinct but at the same time very complete account of the development of the refugee problem here and of the measures taken to meet it. It describes the growth of the local Russian colony from 700 before the war to its present 5,000, of whom 2,500 are practically destitute, their being the later arrivals in the influx of refugees caused by the revolution and war and subsequent disturbances in Russia. The report classifies the refugees according to professions and occupation, tells of their condition and recounts the relief measures taken up to the present time. The Advisory Committees efforts are described and the assistance rendered by the various charitable institutions. The difficulties of securing funds to carry on the necessary work are laid before the League Commissioner and stress is laid on the fact that there are some 300,000 refugees in Manchuria and China, mostly near the frontier.

The repatriation matter is also taken up in a comprehensive way. The report states that while the Committee is hopeful of being able soon to begin sending willing refugees back to Manchuli with the Soviet representative's co-operation, the repatriation fund so far only amounts to Mex. $3,872.26. The fare from Shanghai to Manchuli is Mex. $52, exclusive of food and incidental expenses.

The constantly growing seriousness of the problem is emphasized, particularly with the approach of winter and the communication concludes with an expression of hope that means to render prompt and effective assistance may be found by the League.

Manila Is To Have Budget For Rest Of The Year

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Manila, August 21.—After drifting for more than ten months, working on the figures of the previous year's budget, the city of Manila today has an approved budget for what remains of the present fiscal year. At the last election the voters of Manila returned to office a city council composed entirely of Democratas. The mayor, Mr. Ramon Fernandez, was Nacionalista. The Councilmen refused to O.K. anything suggested by Mr. Fernandez, and Mayor Fernandez vetoed almost anything suggested by the councilmen. The two departments could not agree on various items of the budget and neither would compromise, and as a result the city drifted along from month to month, using the previous year's budget. As a result the work of every department of the city's government has been seriously handicapped.

After the resignation of Mayor Fernandez and the Philippine cabinet because of differences with the Governor General, Governor General Wood appointed a Democrata mayor, former Governor Rodriguez of Rizal province. This removed the friction between the city Councilmen and the mayor's office, and the long hung-up budget was passed without difficulty.

Ex-College Head To Assist Dr. Koo

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, August 26.—It is reported that if the appointment of Mr. Shen Jui-lin as Minister of Agriculture and Commerce is announced, Mr. Chow Yi-chun, ex-President of Tsinghua College will be offered the post of Vice-Minister of Foreign Affairs.

Those in touch with Mr. Shen Jui-lin state, however, that he has definitely decided not to accept the cabinet post mentioned.

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Believe Johnson's Hat Is In Ring

Senator Hiram Johnson

MANY who heard United States Senator Hiram Johnson's speech at the welcoming banquet given him in New York upon his return from his European tour, assert his words definitely have put him in the race for the Republican nomination.

Ifugaos, Warlike Philippine Tribe, Now Less Hostile

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Manila, Aug. 21.—The Ifugaos, one of the most warlike peoples of the mountain provinces, are becoming more friendly to the lowland settlers in that province, and have started trading with them, it is reported here.

Deputy Governor Dosser, who has been working for months toward establishing peace between the mountain people and the lowland settlers, succeeded on July 14 in getting more than 150 Ifugaos to take rice, vegetables and baskets to Dulucg, a town on the boundary between Ifugao and the province of Isabela. There were exchanged with the lowlands for pigs and chickens. As a result of this venture several markets have been established and trading between the erstwhile warlike peoples is becoming the order of the day.

201 Chinese, No Foreigners, Died During Last Week

No deaths were reported from among the foreign population, although the Chinese death rate jumped considerably, 201 dying, according to Commissioner of Public Health C. Noel Davis' weekly report.

Communicable diseases reported during the same period included one Chinese with smallpox two foreigners and 16 Chinese with cholera, 5 Chinese with typhoid fever, 19 Chinese with tuberculosis, two foreigners and one Chinese with dysentery, and 9 Chinese with acute diarrhoea.

One foreign and 6 Chinese cases of cholera were verified bacteriologically at the Municipal Laboratory during the week.

China Invited To 'Systems' Congress

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, August 26.—Belgium has invited the Chinese Government to participate in an international Conference on official systems to be held in Belgium from the 13th to the 16th of September.

The Waichiaopu has requested the Cabinet to instruct the Bureau of Legislation to compile a memorandum to be submitted to the Conference.

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Greece Regrets Murder Of General, To Seek Slayers

(Reuter's Service)

Athen, Aug. 28.—It is semi-officially announced that the Government has expressed its regret to the Italian Minister in connection with the death of General Tellini who, with two other members of the Italian Commission delimitating the Albanian frontier, was ambushed and murdered near Janina. The Government promises rigorously to pursue and punish the perpetrators.

(Reuter's Service)

Rome, August 29.—Five members of the Italian Mission to Albania were massacred, namely, General Tellini, two officers, an interpreter and a chauffeur. The crime was committed at a spot to the east of the Greek frontier post of Kakadia where the road traverses a thick forest. The motorcar containing the Italians slackened speed on finding a tree across the track whereupon from 30 to 40 shots rang out, killing the whole party. The assailants then decamped. The bodies were not robbed, indicating that the crime was political.

U.S. To Sell Two Historic Warships

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Manila, Aug. 21.—Two United States naval vessels, in whose dark hulls is buried the accounts of years teeming with history and romance, have been placed on sale by the United States navy at Cavite Naval Yard. They are the Callao and the Barcelo, both of which were captured from the Spanish at Cavite in 1898 when the Cavite naval yard surrendered.

Now the United States navy is getting rid of them to the highest bidder.

Bids are to opened September 11 at the navy yard.

Freights And Rates

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the China Homeward Freight Conference.

CASE OF THE S.S. NILE

The s.s. Nile, which previously belonged to the China Mail Steamship Company and was recently put up at auction in San Francisco, has been sold at the ridiculous figure of G.$47,800. Five years ago the Company was offered the sum of over ten times this amount, namely $500,000 which it declined. She valued roughly at that time at $245,000, and when built 35 years ago cost $100,000. An interesting item of news is that the vessel is at present being reconditioned and will be brought to Shanghai and Hongkong for sale.

As is usual at this time of the year cargo is scarce on the Japanese route. There are a few import shipment contracts of foreign rice to Japan in speculation but on the whole the trade remains dull. The same may be said of the exportation of coal to Oriental ports. The ruling rate on coal from Moji to Hongkong is yen 3.50 per ton, that to Manila at yen 4 and to Singapore yen 4. Freight contracts are rather slack.

There is a report that the Pacific Conference will raise the rate on lumber. Stocks of lumber in Shanghai are estimated to be about 15 to 18 million feet. Consumption is small and the rate is at Tls. 67.50 base.

There is a slight movement of rice between Hongkong and the United States caused by the disturbed conditions at Canton.

New Cable To Be Working Sept. 15

(Reuter's Service)

London, Aug. 28.—The American end of the new Anglo-American cable was laid at Long Island on Saturday. The English end will be laid during the present week at Weston-Super-Mare. The cable will be in operation on September 15.

CROSS RATE

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, August 28.—The Paris-London cross-rate is quoted today at £1=79.685 francs.

Java-Pacific Mail Line To Stop Ships

(Reuter's Service)

The Hague, Aug. 28.—According to the newspaper, the Indian Mercury, three Dutch steamship lines, including the Java-China-Japan Line and the Rotterdam Lloyd, have decided to close down the Java-Pacific Line which has suffered greatly in the trade slump. The management do not expect improvement in business in the near future.

Oxford Student Killed In Crash

(Reuter's Service)

London, Aug. 28.—The passenger who was killed in the aeroplane crash yesterday at East Malling in Kent has been identified as Mr. Leslie Gunter, an Oxford undergraduate.

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Coolie Sentenced For Possession Of Automatic Pistols

A coolie riding along Seward Road in a rickshaw and carrying a bundle of old clothing was stopped by a Chinese Police Constable at the corner of Dent Road Tuesday evening and searched. In the bundle the constable found a .32 calibre automatic pistol. He took the coolie to the station and further search disclosed another pistol and 200 rounds of ammunition.

The coolie appeared before Assessor Whitmore and Magistrate Li at the Mixed Court yesterday. He stated that he had been employed in scraping paint on the steamer Pembrokeshire when the bundle of clothing was tossed from the ship to the wharf. No one appeared to claim it so he took it. He was unaware that it contained the weapons. The Court sentenced him to three months' imprisonment.

Refugee Committee Meets This Afternoon

The regular weekly meeting of the Russian Refugee Relief Advisory Committee will be held at 5:15 p.m. today at 5 North Soochow Road, the Charity Organisation rooms.

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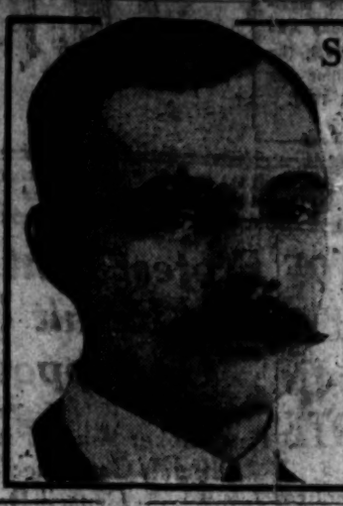

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BY "QUI VIVE"

Peking, August 25.—Occidental education has a great deal to be responsible for. Take for example the job of the humble and hard-working "press agent," "advance man," "Ballyhoo artist" and last but by no means least "The Consulting Publicity Merchant." The United States has frequently been termed "God's Footstool," largely because the phrase was invented by one of the mushrooming homicide purveyors of publicity. The slogan was carried and borne along the wind by incessant boosting hearts, sank within abysmal bathos of ultra-saccharine patriotism. It is usually uttered on Fourth of July "grease eagle" demagogues, or by those countless expatriated wandrers (either voluntary or otherwise), who aimlessly trek about the waste places of the world seeking a new thrill, and who look back upon their old Kankakee through the golden shimming aura of romantic, and wishful imagination.

Chinese students in the United States have absorbed far more than the ordinary "boot strain," have read, marked and learned that "it pays to advertise," and have returned to China and turned to their own advantage all the tricks of the trade with many extraneous frills and embellishments, which the French so aptly term "Chinoiseries." Their compatriots at home have avidly seized upon this new mode of self-expression, finding that it is not only profitable but that the results are remarkably quick and periodical. Where America says, "it pays to advertise," China goes one better stating "It pays to publicise."

In Peking today there are fourteen "news agencies," and it is quite possible that there will be others before nightfall. In fact their mushroom growth—and death—is strongly reminiscent of the rapid and glorious real estate boom times in Los Angeles, when each shop that was not a cafe, or a soft drink parlour with sandwiches on the side could be counted on to have a "Ye Olde" new gleaming sign "realtor" over its sickly varnished doorway.

However the plurocity "Real Estate" of Peking "eat not nor do they sleep" with the result that the majority of newspapers offices have had to hire several new police merely to clear out the overflowing wastebaskets several times a day. Every fresh crisis, and there have been several new ones recently, has brought a new brood of "explainers" who dash madly into print, fortunately for them their own paper and ink is used, and give the most plausible and convincing arguments regarding any number of different issues.

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The great influx last week was chiefly concerned with the Lincheng Note, and explaining why the demands of the foreign powers were preposterous, and could not possibly be granted. They have an exceptionally fertile field in Peking, since the undercurrent of international jealousy has been markedly fervid recently, and these new agencies have pulled out all the stops, and let go their steam calliopes full blast. And what is more their blurbs are getting into print, largely due to the chaotic condition of affairs. The situation changes with kaleidoscopic rapidity, so that even the best prophesyers are now looking for more lucrative employment.

Perhaps the busiest group have been those defending Tuchun Chen Chung-yu of Shantung. Scarcely a day passes, or to be more exact half a day, of idleness if his supporters. They point out that while in a sense he may have been guilty in permitting the bandits to enter his province, nevertheless he and those under his command were doing their utmost to stamp out the bandits, when the Lincheng outrage occurred. In fact it was his great zeal in surrounding the bandits in their lair and holding them in a state of seige for some 63 days that was the direct result of the whole affair. Then when he wanted to use force to rescue the foreigners, and not give in to the bandits terms, he was stopped by diplomatic action from doing his duty, simply because if he continued the foreign hostages would undoubtedly have been killed. And now the Diplomatic corps wishes to punish him for dereliction of duty, when as a matter of fact he was doing everything in his power to stamp out banditry.

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It is also pointed out that if the Chinese Government accedes to the demands of the powers, particularly with regard to the threat of the banishment of Tuchun Chen, it will serve as a markedly bad precedent to carry forward to future events. If a certain group of recalcitrant politicians, for one reason or another become dissatisfied with the present governing Tuchun, it would be a simple matter for them to hire several gangs of cut-throats and stage a band of foreigners, keep them as hostages until their terms were agreed to, namely the dismissal of the Tuchun in question. In order to mollify their statements somewhat, these explainers state that they are quite willing that Tuchun Chen be punished, provided that also those higher officials who they claim are more culpable than he, receive their just meed of punishment also, and providing that the proceedings are carried on at the sole behest of the Central Government and not to satisfy the demands of the foreigners. In conclusion it has been pointed out frequently that the situation at this time is in no sense analgous to the Boxer Uprising, since in this instance all the officials were admittedly friendly to the foreigners, and did everything—that the Diplomatic Body would let them do—to secure the foreigners' release.

It is a pretty set of arguments, well thought out and well executed. But to prick this pretty bubble is only necessary to quizz any one of the foreign captives recently as I have done, or talk to any of the several newspaper men who wrote the "Seige of Tsaochuang" as I did recently. When stripped of their rather supercharged profanity and consequent obfuscation due to superheated emotions their arguments are well worth hearing.

"Ask a Captive—He Knows!" will doubtless be a new slogan before very long.

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Another storm of protest against the Lincheng demands has come from quite an unexpected source, namely the virulent opposition which has been aroused by China's leading educators. Mr. Yin Chin-tin, a prominent member of the National Education reform society which happens to be holding its annual conference at Tsing Hua College, has brought up the question of the Lincheng Demands at a plenary session of the conference and has proposed that the leading educators should express their attitude toward their most serious question affecting China's national life in the following terms:

1. Every teacher should send a letter of protest to Dr. Wellington Koo.

2. Circular telegrams should be addressed to the press in the principal cities, for transmission to the people.

3. Circular telegrams should be addressed to the leading chambers of commerce in the principal cities urging them to express their sentiments in no uncertain terms, as well as to organize volunteer corps to assist in the protection of the railways.

If the Lincheng Demands are agreed to by the Central Government Mr. Yin feels confident that the following terrible condition of affairs will result:

1. If the railways, the natural means of developing civilisation and communication be placed under foreign control, it would not only mean the loss of China's sovereign rights, but in addition future development of railways in China by the Chinese people.

2. By the appointment of foreign accountants and traffic managers in addition to the appointment of foreign police officers one of China's greatest sources of income would go into the hands of foreigners, thereby seriously affecting China's state finance.

3. Those railways built by purely Chinese capital would be placed in a similar class with those constructed under foreign loans.

4. The loss of control of railway police and revenue by China would lead to a struggle for supremacy among the powers which would be the cause of disturbance of peace in Eastern Asia.

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The above translation is not mine, but I believe that it is fairly accurate and offer it as one of the best examples of the way things are drifting. Mr. Yin evidently seems to think that all foreigners are as dishonest as some of his own countrymen when once they are placed in a position of trust, and that the revenues of the railroads would find their way into foreign pockets, rather than into the channel for which they were intended. With regard to the future development of Chinese Railroads by Chinese, I fail to see how foreign control would hamper the construction of future roads, since once they were assured of protection, particularly in the future, it would be a much easier matter to get the additional capital necessary to construct the roads already under construction, let alone those contemplated. Mr. Yin's fourth point (the cause of the disturbance of peace in Eastern Asia) is particularly noteworthy, and deserves consideration from the Diplomatic Corps, since it comes from a man of some standing in the educational world. Unless MM. Les Diplomats present a solid front, it is unquestionably certain, that the Chinese Government will take the opportunity to slide out of making any reparations, or seriously considering the demands made by the Lincheng note.

In a foregoing paragraph I spoke about the undercurrent of international jealousy being particularly strong at the present time, which was manifested last week by the very bad leak, intentional or otherwise, regarding the railway proposals. To begin with the Diplomatic Body has not yet received the text of the Railway Protection Note, prepared by the committee appointed to draft it, and if the diplomats have not received it is only natural that the Foreign Office has had no notice officially at least of its contents. And yet already the Japanese Journalists Association of Peking has registered a strong protest against the note not only with their Legation here, but in addition have sent a strong protest to their Foreign Office in Tokio. How is it possible to protest against a thing which does not yet exist?

And why the protest in any case? It is common knowledge that at the present time there is no love lost between Nippon and Cathay, particularly with Japan losing some Yen 30,000,000 every month as a result of the anti-Japanese boycott along the Yangtsze and elsewhere. It would be only natural to suppose that Japan would rejoice to a certain extent at least in China's supposed humiliation, but quite the contrary is apparently the case.

It is a question of International jealousy, raised to the Nth degree. Already the Railway Note is spoken of as Great Britain's note to the Chinese Government, because it has been hinted in some quarters that General Bruce had been considered in London as the man to be appointed Commander-in-Chief of the proposed Railway Guard.

This was exactly what China banked on,—the Japanese protest—and so the supposed contents of the note were allowed to "leak," merely to arouse public opinion and get the necessary reaction, thereby showing the foreign powers the futility of presenting any such harsh demands.

Publicity?—P. T. Barnum, the grand daddy of all press agents would certainly learn a trick or two in Peking!

China's Forbidden City Nearly Destroyed

The Forbidden City.

HERE is an exclusive view taken within China's Forbidden City, in Peking, where the deposed boy Emperor's palace and outerhouses were recently destroyed by incendiarism. The photograph shows the main entrance to the destroyed palace in ruins.

Protest Sent To Council As Result Of Police Raid

(Continued from Page 1)

that no articles be carried away by any persons composing the search party and that, if any articles are missing, the Police should be held responsible.

In those circumstances I respectfully request that a thorough investigation be made into this case and that the attention of the Council be directed to inquire into searches made by the Police of premises carrying on a legitimate business with a view that the Police be required to verify the source of their information given by informers and that they should satisfy themselves that the information is correct before making a search.

I take this opportunity of thanking you to give this matter your urgent attention.

Faithfully yours,
L. K. KENTWELL.

COUNCIL REPLIES

Following is the Council's reply:

Council Room,
Shanghai, Aug. 20, 1923.

Sir: I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of August 7, protesting against the drastic manner in which it is said the police carried out a raid on the premises of the Zung Yuen Pawnshop at 339 Chekiang Road, under search warrant to discover opium.

In reply thereto, I am directed to inform you, after careful inquiry into the circumstances, that the information received came from a reliable source, and that the action of the police officers in the course of their duty has been much exaggerated, as perhaps is but natural in such cases. The visit to the premises was conducted by tried and experienced officers, the proceedings appears to have been conducted in an orderly and correct manner, and the search warrant, which was not at first produced for the reason that no person would acknowledge that he had any authority in the shop, was duly shown to one of the inmates who, when the police were about to leave, admitted that he was the manager.

In the circumstances I can only express regret that you or your client have been placed to any inconvenience in this matter.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. S. B. ROWE,
Acting Secretary.

French Wireless—News And Views

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Aug. 23.—The British Press comments on the Inter-allied political situation. The "Times" remarks that because of the exchange of views between the governments of Paris and London a rough change has been produced in the situation. The Powers appear to have decided to put an end to this state of things which was becoming intolerable.

The "Daily Mail" notes that for the first time in a long while optimism seems to prevail again in London. This feeling seems to be due to the possibility and probability of the meeting between the French Prime Minister with the British Premier and to the apparent desire of the new German Government to come to a solution.

The "Daily Chronicle" explains that a vague optimism seems to prevail in foreign circles in London, which, it says, seems to imply an imminent settlement of the question.

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CONFLICT OVER CHINESE EASTERN STILL CONTINUES

Chinese Closing Up Land Offices All Along Line

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Harbin, August 25.—The conflict between the Chinese authorities and the administration of the Chinese Eastern Railway over the Land Department question still continues. The Chinese, having organised their own Land Department, are paralysing the work of the Land Department of the Administration of the Railway and closing its Land Department Offices up the line, at the same time making up their books and documents. A characteristic incident occurred on the southern line, where the Chinese not only closed the local office of the Land Department but requisitioned and carried off all its papers and instruments.

The position again threatens to become complicated, as to all the intents and purposes, notwithstanding the protests of the representatives of the Powers, who signed the Washington agreement, the railway is still deprived of the means of making use of its Land Department fund and find of collecting rent for its land sections as a result of the action of the Chinese and is thus suffering heavy loss. It is clear that Mukden is counting on the support of M. Karakhan, but it must be expected that the protests of the Ministers in Peking and of the consuls in Harbin and Mukden will be successful in forcing the restoration of its rights to the railway.

... Filipinos To Be Vaccinated Soon

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Manila, August 21.—With ten vaccinating parties now working under the direction of the Philippine health service it is estimated that the complete systematic vaccination of the people of the entire islands will be completed within seven years. The ten parties are now working in the provinces of Oriental Negros, Cotanguis, Ilocos Sur, Bataan, Samar, Albay, Zamboanga, Surigao, Copiz and Zembales. The average daily vaccination of each party is about 395.

In the city of Manila there is a group of 14 vaccinators seven of whom are vaccinating children from one month to one year of age, while the others are making house to house revaccination campaign of the residents.

The total salaries and expenses for all the vaccinating parties amounts to $66,200 annually. Of 419,210 vaccinations made up to July 31, 155,593 were positives.

Afghans Held For Murder Break Jail

(Reuter's Service)

Simla, Aug. 28.—The Afghan Government has informed the British Minister at Kabul that the two Afghans arrested in connection with the murder of Major Orr and Major Anderson, near Landi Kotal a few months ago have escaped from the jail at Kabul.

The Afghan Government has expressed its great regret at the deplorable occurrence, and has given its assurance that all possible efforts will be made to recapture the fugitives.

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News Brevities

The two new Japanese gunboats which were constructed at the Far Eastern Engineering Co.'s shipyards proceeded to Woosung on Sunday and Monday for their trials. Besides tests of speed and general efficiency the guns were tested and the report was that everything was found to be in excellent condition.

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Mrs. Frank D. Drake, accompanied by her daughter Doris, will sail on August 30th on the Blue Funnel steamer Patroclus for Marseilles en route to the United States. Mrs. Drake will visit France, Switzerland and Italy before proceeding to New York.

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It is rumored in Chinese circles at Hankow that a branch of the Shanghai Watson's Aerated Waterworks Co. is to be established in that place. The capital will be, it is reported, $250,000, subscribed by merchants in the vicinity.

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Three new officers have arrived to join the American Legation Guard at Peking. Lt.-Colonel N. G. Burton will relieve Major Seth Williams, who has been Quartermaster of the Guard for the past two years, and who will leave Peking at the end of September. Major F. A. Barker will take the place of Major Bogan who left a fortnight ago, and Captain W. T. Clement, will be the Adjutant, which post is left vacant by the leaving of Captain Lott.

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Capt. Althouse, U.S.N., formerly Governor of Guam, is staying for a day at the Palace Hotel on his way to Washington, D.C. with Mrs. Althouse.

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The wireless station in Chinshan, near Macao, was destroyed by the recent typhoon. A wireless operator was severely injured by the collapse of the station house.

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Captain V. Olsen of the American Co. S. V. C., has received the following letter from Major S. A. Ransom with reference to last year's efficiency tests:—"Will you accept my congratulations upon the excellent showing of your company in the annual efficiency and annual musketry return for the year 1923. As a matter of fact the army of the north of the Soochow creek has shown up very well."

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Mr. W. A. Richardson, Assistant Traffic Manager of the Shanghai-Nanking Railway, left for Tientsin yesterday to join the staff of the Peking-Mukden Railway.

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Sir Skinner Turner, Chief Judge of the British Supreme Court and Mrs. and Miss Turner left for Japan yesterday for a month's holiday.

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United States Marshal Thurston B. Porter sailed on the President Jefferson yesterday for Kobe where he will meet Miss Louise MacCoubrey, his bride-to-be. Miss MacCoubrey was formerly Deputy Clerk of the U. S. Court here.

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Capt. W. J. Eisler of the United States Shipping Board, who has been in the United States on business, is returning to Shanghai on the President Madison, arriving September 4. While passing through Kobe he will attend the wedding of U. S. Marshal Thurston B. Porter and Miss Louise MacCoubrey.

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The forthcoming marriages in Hongkong of Mr. David Peeples and Miss Jessie Bell Simpson, and Captain F. R. Pollock of the s.s. Suiying and Miss Mary Elizabeth Smith, now en route from England.

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Six Chinese convicted of participating in armed robberies in the Settlement, including one on August 13 at 443 Ferry Road and one on August 14 at the Tsha Ahpang village, were sentenced to six months imprisonment by Assessor Mead and Magistrate Yui at the Mixed Court yesterday. At the expiration of their terms they are to be expelled from the Settlement. The charges against two men were dismissed.

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Alexander Ginsbourg and David Gertzovitch, Russians living at 5A North Honan Road, appeared before Assessor Whitamore and Magistrate Li in the Mixed Court yesterday on charges of securing money by false pretenses. Ginsbourg is alleged to have secured four sums aggregating $615 from J. Weinstein and F. Schulman and Gertzovitch is alleged to have secured $195 from Schulman. The cases were remanded for hearing by the Senior Consul's Assessor.

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Mr. D'Arcy Weatherbe, the British engineer who was captured by bandits in Yunnan, and who is now en route to Hongkong following his escape, is the son of a well known and prominent family of Nova Scotia. His father, Sir Robert Weatherbe, was formerly Chief Justice of Nova Scotia.

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The Tennis Club of St. Joseph's Catholic Association will remain open this evening to enable members to hear the band concert on the Public Recreation Grounds. The customary bridge tournament will not take place tonight.

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Over 70 Manchurian members of Parliament are now in Tientsin on their way to Shanghai, according to the Dah Tong News Bureau.

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Tsang Chih-ping's troops in Amoy are being paid $2,200 a day by the Amoy Peace Preserving Society, according to messages received in Shanghai last night.

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The fire Department received three calls within a few minutes shortly after 10 o'clock last night, one proving to be a false alarm. Small fires were dealt with near the corner of Nanking and Chekiang Roads and at the corner of Yu Yuen and Kiaochow Roads. The false alarm was turned in from Lay Road near Yangtszepoo Road.

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A chauffeur, two ex-chauffeurs, a coolie and a watchman appeared in the Mixed Court yesterday on the charge of breaking into the Andersen, Meyer and Co. godown on Yangtszepoo Road East on the night of August 15. Police testimony was given to the effect that a motor car was seen standing in a private road near the godown about midnight by a Chinese constable. He noticed that one of the godown windows was open and that a rope was hanging out of it. In a vacant lot nearly were 40 rolls of cloth which had been removed from the godown. Two of the accused were arrested near the motor car and two later on in Chapei. The accused denied all knowledge of the robbery and the Court stated that on the evidence the charge would be dismissed.

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Mrs. A. S. Crossfield, wife of Judge Crossfield, and a resident of Manila for 22 years died suddenly last week. During the war she was the head of all Red Cross activities in the Philippines.

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Mrs. Marshall, wife of Mr. G. V. T. Marshall, secretary of the British Municipal Council at Hankow, and her daughter, Miss Marshall, who have been in Japan on holiday, are sailing for Hankow this morning.

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Mrs. E. Brook returned from Tsingtao, where she has been spending the Summer, yesterday.

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The band and orchestral performances during the remainder of the week ending Saturday, September 1, have been slightly amended and will be given as per the following schedule: Thursday, August 30, 5:30 p.m., Public Gardens, Brass Band; Friday, August 31, 9 p.m., Shanghai Race Club, Brass Band; Saturday, September 1, 9:15 p.m. Jessfield Park, Orchestra.

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Mr. A. du Pac de Marsoulies, the French attorney, sailed on the President Jefferson yesterday en route to France. He will make a short visit in the United States.

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Arrivals at the Astor House Hotel are as follows:

Mrs. E. Thomas.
Mrs L. C. Scheible.
Mr. R. E. Manders, Local.
Mr. Mrs. R. E. Chambers, of Canton.
Mr. Mrs. E. Bishop, of Boston.
Mrs. T. H. Oxberry, of Hongkong and Mrs. Miss. Tibbitt.

Departures: Mr. Schmertz.
Mr. Reid.
Mr. Alabaster.
Mr. Mead.
Capt. Kinlock and wife, and Mr. H. Goffe.

Heavy Rains At Hongkong

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Hongkong, August 29.—Torrential rains last night and this morning flooded Happy Valley the roads to which have been rendered impassible. More than 20 Chinese houses at Wongnaichong collapsed. It is feared that there are some casualties.

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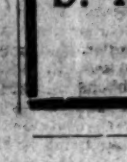

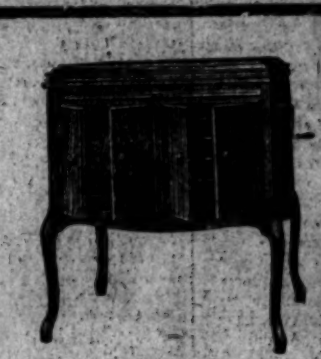

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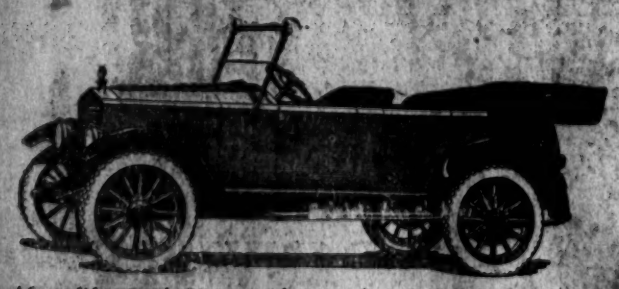

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China Press Sports

LOTS OF PEOPLE MAKE A SPECIALTY OF THROWING ICE WATER ON ENTHUSIASM

Fifth Game Of Ft. Mills Series Set For Today; Scott Probable Pitcher

Millers Have Big Advantage But Locals Hope To Turn Tables In This Afternoon's Contest; Ellison May Show

The fifth game of the present series between Shanghai and Fort Mills will be played this afternoon, starting at 4:30 o'clock, at the ball park. On paper the Millers look like winners, but you can't always tell about these baseball games, as witness what happened last Thursday, when the Gallopers gave the Philippine champs one of the worst lickings of their lives.

But win or lose, the game is sure to be interesting, if the other games of the series are any criterion. Tuesday's contest will live a long time in the memory of the fans here as being one of the most interesting games the Shanghai team has participated in, and this despite the fact that the verdict went the wrong way. It was a game in which there was plenty of long hitting, and that is what the average baseball fan wants when he goes to a ball game. Three home runs, a brace of three baggers and the same number of two base clouts, to say nothing of numerous singles, gave the spectators plenty of thrills.

As to who will pitch for the Gallopers today, the chances favor Scott, now that he has rested his flipper since Sunday. Scotty ought to beat the Millers again if he is right, as he was a week ago today, and if he gets fair support. In Sunday's game he was unfortunate in that everything went wrong. Today may be one of those days when everything goes right, in the event of which Scotty will cop.

The Millers have now shown us three of their pitchers, and today they ought to give us a glimpse of Ellison, who has not shown here as yet. It is to be hoped that Lieutenant Mumford will take a well earned rest, as we have seen quite enough of his wares for a time.

The Shanghai team has been badly handicapped for pitchers this season, despite rich early season prospects. In his first few games Taylor showed a world of class and had his arm remained in shape the year's baseball story would have been vastly different. In his first times out "Tay" mowed down the opposition with no trouble whatever and the railbirds, looking him over, felt that we were to have another dependable flinger of the Merrill or Verne Claire class. In mid season, however, Tay's arm went bad and despite all efforts at restoration it refuses to mend.

The same thing happened to Wynn, who started out well only to have his arm go bad. Too bad we haven't a Bonesetter Reece in this man's town.

However, the Gallopers will be out there giving the best they've got.

BARNEY GOOGLE By Billy De Beck

THE BIG RACE DOESN'T POP TILL SATURDAY HO-HUM- WOTTA LIFE!
YOU DON'T SEEM TO BE WORRYING MUCH - HOW COME YOU AIN'T TOAINING SPARK PLUG?
WHAT FOR? IF THAT CLUSTER OF SATCHELS HE'S RUNNING AGAINST WONT HAVE SORE EYES FROM THE DUST SPARKY KICKS BACK AT 'EM I'LL SWALLOW YOUR LAST YEAR'S SOX - SAY, SPARK PLUG WILL TURN 'EM UP SIDE DOWN!
AND YOU'RE NOT TRAINING HIM AT ALL? YOUR CONFIDENCE IS OVERWHELMING MY! MY!
YOU DON'T MIND SHOWING ME THIS HORSE OF YOURS?
COME ON - ANYTHING TO OBLIGE
HE'S BUSY NOW - I CAN'T DISTURB HIM FOR A COUPLE OF HOURS

"Barney Google" vs. Dempsey

BILLY De Beck, creator of "Barney Google," met Jack Dempsey recently. The cartoonist was en route to Honolulu while the Champion was resting after Jack Kearns' financial knockout of Montana's best known cow town.

Dempsey and De Beck are old friends, although the cartoonist insisted at their last meeting that "Shelby proves I can draw better than you."

From that sort of joshing, the Champion cheerfully raised the point that he could outbox as well as outfight Tom Gibbons and for De Beck's benefit he agreed to "square off" in demonstration with the comic artist.

Dempsey and De Beck spent a lively two minutes in sparring. The cartoonist's form surprised the Champ. When asked after the bout what he thought of "Barney Google's" Pa as a boxer, Dempsey—fixing his gaze on De Beck's fancy horse—observed:

"His socks are like Benny Leonard's, the last time I saw him."

And De Beck admitted: "Dempsey has a kick as hard as Spark Plug's."

Billy promised to send Jack a native ukelele from the South Seas. Dempsey says he will call it "Firpo." He'll play upon it to the tune of a million later.

FOUR BATSMEN GET CENTURIES IN HOME CRICKET

J. Gunn, Notts, Is Best Run Getter Of Day, With 116

(Reuter's Service)

London, Aug. 28.—At Lord's, Surrey beat Middlesex by 6 wickets. The Surrey bowlers, Fender and Abel, took 7 wickets for 72 and 5 for 28 respectively.

At Leyton, Notts beat Essex on the 1st innings. J. Gunn (Notts) made 116 not out.

At Dover, Warwickshire beat Kent by 27 runs. Warwick made 295 in the 1st innings (Stephens 87 and Santall 79). Freeman taking 7 wickets for 84, and 170 in the 2nd innings, Freeman takings 7 wickets for 77. Kent made 147, Partridge taking 5 wickets for 39, and 295 (Seymour 85).

At Worcester, Worcestershire beat Glamorgan by 7 wickets. Crawley made 112 for Worcester. Glamorgan made 118 in the 1st innings, Pearson taking 6 wickets for 42, and 161 in the 2nd innings (Davies 100 not out), Gilbert taking 5 wickets for 39.

At Brighton, Sussex beat Leicestershire by 287 runs. Bowley (Sussex) made 112 not out.

Ireneo Flores Defeats McBride

Ireneo Flores, ex-lightweight champion of the Orient, decisively defeated Stanley McBride of Chicago in a 12-round match at the Stadium in Manila on last Saturday night. The Chicago fighter, according to press accounts, continually used foul tactics and had to be warned by the referee several times. Flores took practically every round and proved conclusively that he was by far McBride's better.

Chinese Soccer Team Defeated By 7 Goals To 1

(Reuter's Service)

Newcastle, N. S. W., Aug 28.—Newcastle beat the Chinese Association football team today by 7 goals to 1.

Athletic Ass'n To Hold Meeting Today

A meeting of the newly organised Shanghai Athletic Association is to be held at 5:30 o'clock this afternoon at the Old Carlton when officers will be named and business will be discussed.

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Pittsburg	67	47	587
Chicago	62	54	534
Brooklyn	58	55	513
St. Louis	58	58	500
Philadelphia	37	74	333
Boston	34	76	309

AMERICAN LEAGUE

New York	73	37	664
Cleveland	61	52	540
Detroit	54	52	509
St. Louis	53	53	500
Washington	52	57	477
Chicago	50	58	463
Philadelphia	48	62	436
Boston	43	62	409

Baseball History

BY BERTON BRALEY

I've seen Babe Ruth when he lined 'em out for many and many a circuit clout,
I've seen Tris Speaker and Ty Cobb, too,
Performing wonders that thrilled me through;
But the greatest kick that I ever got
Came from a game on the home-town lot.
When we hung on our rivals the Indian sign
By a score of fifty to forty-nine
From two till six of a summer's day we battled on in a bitter fray.
And the crack of this was a fusillade
As we played, and played, and played, and played,
Except for the times when we had to wait.
Till the crowd quit fighting around the plate;
For our sporting ethics were none too fine,
When we won by fifty to forty-nine!
I pitched till my arm was wrenched and sore, allowing just seventy hits—no more;
While the other twirler, as I recall,
Was socked for a hundred and ten in all!
The errors? Get this into your nut—
The game was errors and nothing but!
Yet, oh the thrill of my life was mine
When we won by fifty to forty nine!

Home Run Sluggers

(AUGUST 20)

Ruth, Yanks	32
Williams, Phils	29
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Hornsby, Cardinals	14
Fournier, Dodgers	13
Hellmann, Tigers	12

How Willard-Firpo Receipts Compare With Other Big Bouts

Dempsey-Carpentier	$1,600,000
Willard-Firpo	800,000
Dempsey-Willard	452,522
Milk Fund Show	355,000
Leonard-Tendler	250,000
Jeffries-Johnson	270,775
Dempsey-Gibbons	224,485
Dempsey-Brennan	182,750
Willard-Moran	152,000
Leonard-Mitchell	136,408
Dempsey-Miske	134,000
Britton-Leonard	130,265
Leonard-Kansas	126,500
Carpentier-Levinsky	120,000
Wilson-O'Dowd	108,615
Johnson-Burns	97,000
Wilde-Villa	94,590
Lynch-Herman	82,683
Leonard-Mitchell	74,500
Gans-Nelson	69,715
Willard-Johnson	68,000
Jeffries-Sharkey	66,300
Jeffries-Corbett	63,500
Kilbane-Criqui	62,500
Corbett-McCoy	56,350
McGovern-Erne	52,000

Five Title Events On Rowing Club Swimming Card

Program To Extend Over Two Nights, Beginning Tomorrow

Five Shanghai swimming championships will be contested at the Rowing Club's annual gala which opens tomorrow night, continuing over Saturday. These titular events are the Long Plunge, 800 yards, 220 yards, diving and 100 yards back stroke.

In addition to these championship races, the Rowing Club has arranged an attractive program, including a race of 200 feet open to members of all foreign navies and various acquatic sports and water polo matches.

The program for the two nights follows:

Friday: Life Saving Race, 100 yards handicap (final); Club Championship (100 yds.); Throwing the Polo Ball Handicap (final); Naval race, Long Plunge (Shanghai Championship); One length Handicap (final); 800 yds. (Shanghai Championship: Two lengths Breast Stroke handicap (final); Club Diving Championship (spring board and a watr polo match between Jiangdaws and the S. R. C.

Saturday night: Obstacle Race: Lady members diving; Boy members' diving: 220 yds. (Shanghai Championship); Long Plunge handicap (final): One length boy members' (final); Diving (Shanghai Championship) One length ady members; Two lengths handicap (final); 100 yards back stroke (Shanghai Championship; Blindfolded race and water polo match; Possibles v. Probables.

'Twin' Horses Cause Owner Much Trouble

Paris.—When M. Cardon, who runs a string of horses at the tracks in the north of France, saw the yearling Ace of Hearts last year he decided that the youngster should come to his stable. He bought Ace of Hearts. Then his troubles began. Ace of Hearts is a pedigree animal. But Ace of Hearts has a double, Funny Boy. Funny Boy is not in the stud book. He is not even on neighing terms with the set to which Ace of Hearts belongs. But you cannot tell them apart or together. The man who owned him actually made M. Cardon believe that Ace of Hearts was not Act of Hearts, but Funny Boy. So M. Cardon to be quite sure that he had Ace of Hearts bought Funny Boy, too.

Then he entered Ace of Hearts—the real spot card—in a race at Caen. M. Cardon's horse won. Jockey Herve, however, after the race had a dispute with the owner and in revenge announced to all who cared to listen that Ace of Hearts had not won the race for the simple reason that he didn't run, his place having been taken by Funny Boy. The organisation which looks after the interests of the thoroughbreds took away M. Cardon's license for five years. The gentlemen who write and edit and proofread the stub book agreed that M. Cardon has a thoroughbred and that his name is Ace of Hearts, but neither they nor he can tell which horse it is.

M. Cardon appealed to the courts for redress. Exhibit A and exhibit B were brought before a jury of experts. They agreed that they had before them the unsolvable mystery of the horse world. That is all. The jury asked for a month to consider.

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TWO ACCEPT BIDS TO JOIN TOKIO'S NEW CABINET

Viscount Goto And Baron Den Accede To Premier's Request

(Eastern News Agency)

Tokio, Aug. 29.—Those who today assembled at the Naval Club at Tsukiji, Tokio, at an invitation from Admiral Count Yamamoto, the new Prime Minister, were Viscount Takahashi, President of the Seiyukai, Viscount Kato, President of the Kenseikai, Count Kuroki and Viscount Aoki, leaders of the Kenkyukai in the House Peers, Viscount Goto, and Baron Den, Governor-General of Taiwan (Formosa).

In the course of the interview Count Yamamoto approached each of these political leaders, requesting them to enter the new Cabinet, while both Viscount Goto and Baron Den have complied with the request, Viscount Takahashi, President of the Seiyukai, has declined.

The attitude of Viscount Kato, President of the Kenseikai, was still unknown up to 3:30 p.m. today. In the meantime, Mr. Inuzuka, President of the Kakushin Club, and General Tanaka, who are both absent at present, are expected to return to Tokio and to interview Count Yamamoto, this afternoon. On the other hand, the Seiyukai Party, in order to decide upon its attitude towards the Yamamoto Cabinet, is now sitting in conference, whereas the Kenseikai Party is prepared to hold a meeting of its leaders at its headquarters upon the return of the President, Viscount Kato, from the Naval Club.

(Reuter's Service)

Tokio, August 29.—Count Yamamoto was busy conferring with the leaders of all parties in the Upper and Lower Houses this morning. It is freely reported that he intends to form a Coalition Ministry to carry on the government until the country gives a clear mandate to one party or the other at the general elections next year.

(Eastern News Agency)

Tokio, Aug. 29.—With a view to forming a coalition Cabinet, Count Yamamoto, the newly appointed Premier, is expected to invite to the Sulkosha at Tsukiji this morning, representatives of various political parties such as Viscount Takahashi, the President of the Seiyukai, Viscount Kato, the President of the Kenseikai, Mr. Inugai, the leader of the Kakushin (Revolutionary) Club, Viscount Aoki, the leader of the Kenkyukai, Viscount Kato, ex-Mayor of Tokio City, and Baron Den, the Governor-General of Taiwan, and to ask for their approval of his plan.

(Eastern News Agency)

Tokio, Aug. 28.—Count Tokugawa, the Grand Chamberlain to the Emperor, today proceeded to the private residence of Count Yamamoto and conveyed to the latter an Imperial message for the formation of a new Cabinet. Count Yamamoto later repaired to the Akasaka Detached Palace where the Count accepted the Imperial command to form a Cabinet, and applied for a few days' grace for his reply.

Man Must Find Guarantors Or Be Deported

J. R. Grimble appeared before Magistrate King in the British Police Court yesterday and was ordered to find two sureties for $250 each. Grimble has just completed three months in jail on a false pretenses charge. He was sentenced by Assistant Judge Peter Grain who informed him at that time that he would either have to find a bondsman to guarantee his good behavior when he was released from jail or be deported. He will try to find two guarantors.

GAEKWAR'S SON DEAD

(Reuter's Service)

Amsterdam, Aug. 28.—It is ascertained that the Indian who died yesterday was the Gaekwar of Baroda's son, Prince Jai Singh, and not the Gaekwar himself.

Philadelphia To Have Longest Suspension Bridge

Longest Suspension Bridge

THE world's largest and longest suspension bridge, connecting Philadelphia with Camden, N. J., across the Delaware River, is now under construction. It will cost $20,000,000. The clearance above the water is 135 feet, and from the top of the towers to the water will be 385 feet. The bridge will accommodate 6,000 vehicles each hour and will carry two street car tracks and two rapid transit tracks and two sidewalks. This view shows the preliminary steel work as it appears from the Philadelphia approach.

Obituary

MRS. MARY MITCHELL

News has been received from Manila of the death of Mrs. Mary Mitchell, an old Shanghai resident, who has passed away in her 75th year. She was the widow of the late Thomas Mitchell, well-known to many older residents as Secretary of the local Merchants' Service Club. For the past eleven years, she had been living with her widowed daughter, Mrs. Louise Ashton in Manila, where she was much respected. Deep sympathy is extended to her son, Mr. T. W. Mitchell, and widowed daughter, Mrs. E. H. Miller, both of whom reside in Shanghai.

More Ice Cream Declared Unfit

Following their practice of examining ice cream on sale in Shanghai the Health Department, in today's Municipal Gazette, announces that during the week ending August 17 it examined ice cream at the following places and found it unfit for human consumption:

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The New World, F1905 Bubbling Well Rd.
The Fairy Queen, K845 Park Rd.

Italian To Be Tried On Arms Charge Sept. 7

S. Nacera, the Italian who was arrested at 12 Elgin Road on Tuesday night charged with being in possession of a revolver and with selling arms, appeared before Capt. R. Ferrajolo in the Italian Consular Court yesterday. After evidence of arrest had been taken the case was continued until September 7. Nacera is alleged to have been selling a revolver to a Chinese named Vung Ling when he was arrested. He denies the charge.

LOAN DENIED

(Eastern News Agency)

Peking, Aug. 28.—With reference to the rumor that the Crisp Loan has been concluded, the Ministry of Finance has replied to the Senate and the House of Representatives that the rumor is entirely without foundation.

Great Northern Railway To Open Shanghai Offices

The Great Northern Railway, one of the largest of the American trans-continental trunk lines, will open offices in Shanghai early next month, according to information received last night.

The offices will be in charge of Mr. A. G. Henderson, formerly manager for Frank Waterhouse and Company in Manila and recently manager of the Admiral-Oriental Line offices in Chicago, who will be General Agent for the Orient. Mr. Henderson sailed from Seattle for San Francisco on the President Madison and is due here on September 4.

Although Mr. Henderson will have no connection with the Admiral-Oriental Line here he will work in close conjunction with that line as it is the only American steamship line tapping the great Pacific Northwest, the Pacific terminal of the Great Northern. Offices may also be established in Yokohama and Manila, but the main offices will be here.

Canton Notes

Canton, Aug. 25.—Kong Keuichiu, the junior proprietor of a dry goods store in the northern section of the city and a captain of the Merchant Volunteers Corps was assassinated by several men armed with mauser-rifles at Ko Tong-hue, on Tuesday, while he was on his way to Shekiung to attend the sales market there. It is the custom of the firm to send a man to Shekiung on every market day for the purpose of making purchases for the firm and Kong was usually sent with one or two employees. Evidently, the murderers knew that Kong would naturally have to pass the spot where he was attacked, hence they were in ambush waiting for their victim. When they saw Kong coming, the murderers sprang forward and fired six shots at Kong, who was instantly killed. The motive of the murder is unknown.

Kong was accompanied by 2 men from his shop, but these dare not put up a fight with the armed murderers, who easily made their escape unmolested.

The silk crop in this province this year has been greatly affected by the recent typhoon. A shortage in production is predicted. In Shuntak and other districts, where silk is produced, a large number of mulbery trees, the leaves of which are used to feed silk-worms, were destroyed by the strong wind.

Many of the silk factories are flooded thus work in these places has been stopped for several weeks.

The silk merchants are not able to fill the advance orders given them by the silk exporters in Shameen, Canton. It is reported, several representatives of the Canton Silk Merchants' Association went to the different silk firms in Shameen the other day and asked the firms to extend the period of delivery of the goods ordered on account of such unforeseen circumstances.

Samshiu in the west river, is suffering from the effects the greatest flood ever recorded in that district according to the vernacular press reports. The flood began in that district one month ago, since than nearly every line of business has been closed. Houses in the lower streets are flooded as high as above the roofs, and many of them collapsed recently. At present the flood has not receded very much. According to those who came from that district, the condition in that district is very deplorable.

Two hundred catties of opium were discovered by the railway police among the baggages of a second class passenger of the Canton Samshiu train, which arrived at Canton yesterday afternoon from Samshiu. The passenger was arrested by the police as soon as the train reached the Canton station and the large quantity of illicit goods was seized and delivered to the traffic manager. The smuggler was dressed in the style of a villager, and is now detained in the Headquarters of the Railway Police pending further [illegible].

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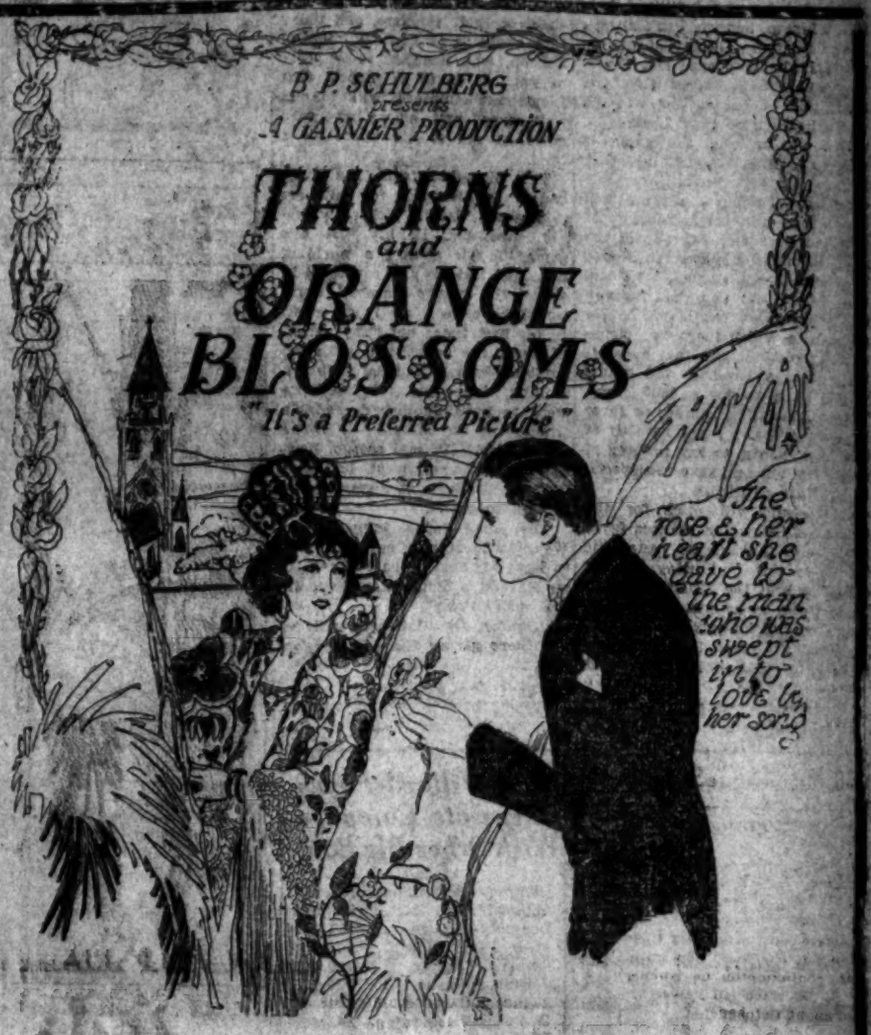

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dent Pierce, Delayed, rrives From Manila Sunday

steamer President Pierce, the next mail for the d States, which was to sail Shanghai for San Francisco obe, Yokohama and Hono- next Saturday, has been d on account of bad weather ongkong. The liner is not ted to arrive here from that before Sunday, and will bly sail on Monday morning. President Jefferson, with st mail for America, sailed this port late yesterday ng, and is due to arrive in via Kobe and Yokohama tember 14.

mails will be dispatched rope via the Suez in these days. The first one will on the Patroclus today, the next is to be sent on the t Locat tomorrow. Ordinary er for the Patroclus will close oon today, and that for rcat is closing at 10 a.m. row. The Patroclus is due arseilles on October 1, and rcat will arrive there three later.

tender with outbound pas- s for the Patroclus will the Customs jetty at 2 k this afternoon, and the which docked at the S. M. hangpoo Wharf yesterday, ail at 1 o'clock tomorrow oon. Passengers will em- at the wharf after 11 o'clock row morning, and heavy ge should be delivered to company's office before noon

inging mail from the States, President Lincoln is due here San Francisco via Honolulu Japan ports next Sunday, and President Madison will arrive Seattle on Tuesday, Septem-

next mail from Europe e brought here by the M. M. Amboise next Sunday, vessel, which sailed from ulles on July 27 is due to ve at Hongkong at 10 o'clock morning.

The P. and O. steamer Karmala, om London on August 3, is ex- pected to leave Singapore for Hongkong and Shanghai next Saturday, and the Mesna of the rwegian, Africa and Australia left Southampton on August is expected to arrive in anghai about October 14.

Carlton Theater

In addition to Constance Tal- madge's latest comedy success, "The Primitive Lover," two clever vaudeville turns of excep- tional merit will be presented at the Carlton theater tonight and the balance of the week, in- cluding Saturday and Sunday matinees. Ferry the Frog, a spectacular scenic novelty gymnas- tic act, with special electrical effects, and Marie Marlotte a musical vocalist and specialist on the piano accordeon will be the extra added attraction.

Ferry has appeared as a head- liner in all the principal vaudeville theaters in America and Europe for the past ten years and has just concluded a two years contract with the J. C. Williamson company of Australia as the feature attraction for the Pantomimes. Ferry appears as a giant frog in the magic auto. Miss Marie Malotte will render the latest popular songs and present her musical offering on the Piano Accordeon. Miss Malotte has also appeared in the leading vaudeville theaters of Europe and comes to China high- ly recommended by theatrical managers and press of America. The Carlton management person- ally guarantees the acts of Ferry and Miss Malotte to be far superior to anything seen here in

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MATINEES
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"HER ELEPHANT MAN"
Sunday September 2nd at 3.15 p.m.
"SEVEN YEARS BAD LUCK"

President Lewis Calls Anthracite Coal Strike

JOHN L. Lewis, President of the United Mine Workers of America, in commenting on the refusal of the anthracite coal operators to recognise the union and adopt the "check off" system, by which the operators would col- lect union dues and fines, has officially called a nation-wide an- thracite coal strike for Sept. 1.

American Tells France How To Increase Births

Paris, July 27.—"Eat more foods containing grease and have more children," is the advice to the people of France received by Premier Poincare in a letter from an American physician whose name is withheld, but who, ac- cording to the Premier's friends, is one of the best known medical men in the United States. More- over, the advice was seriously given.

After studying France's repo- pulation difficulties the doctor who attributes the high birth rate among Russians, Germans and Laplanders to the fact that they consume large quantities of animal fats, believes that if France adopted the same diet the result would be a population of 48,000,000 inside of 30 years. In order to help provide such food material the doctor recommends the establishment of a fleet of twenty vessels in the northern seas which could bring back quantities of whale and seal blub- ber.

Band Concert

The following program will be played, weather permitting, by the Municipal Band in the Public Garden this afternoon beginning at 5:30 p.m.:

1—March, "Black Rock" ..Losey
2—Overture, "Comedy" ..... Keler-Bela
3—Waltz, "Eton Boating Song" Kaps
4—Selection, "La Fille de Madame Angot" ..... Lecocq
5—Intermezzo, "On the Road to Moscow" ..... De Loetz
6—Selection, "Faust" ...Gounod

A. de KRYGER,
Assistant Conductor.

French Approve Belgium's Reply

(French Wireless)

Paris, Aug. 28.—The evening papers have published the Bel- gian note to the British Govern- ment. The "Temps" writes: The Belgian reply to Great Bri- tain is a document that cannot be read without approbation and profit because of its clear and extremely conciliatory form and owing to the very varied ideas which it comprehends or suggests. The refinement with which the Belgian Government is looking for the bases of an agreement must not cause forgetfulness of the vital importance of rights which it defends nor the solidity of the position which Belgium occupies with France.

The British note of August 11 wanted to injure the right of priority which Belgium possesses on payments in kind from Ger- many; the Belgian Government makes a sharp reply and it must be admitted that it could not almost invoke more arguments or to present them in a better way.

The Journal des Debats thinks that the Belgian reply is com- posed in the most wise terms and, particularly the conclusion, in putting excellently the actual terms of the Reparation problem and interallied debt.

The "Debats" adds: The note shows in a word that the famous British project concerning the evaluation of the paying capacity of Germany is absolutely useless. The reduction is such, remarks the Brussels Cabinet, that it can beyond dispute allow the German Government, after a transitory period, to meet the annuities cor- responding to the settlement (pay) thus obtained.

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AMERICAN SHIPS CARRIED HALF OF P. I. COMMERCE

Total Foreign Trade For First Half Year Shows Good Gain

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Manila, August 23.—American ships carried almost one half of the total foreign trade of the Philippine Islands during the first six months of this year, ac- cording to customs figures just compiled.

The amount of trade carried in all bottoms to and from the Island during the first half of the year amounted to $108,356,000, an increase of more than $20,- 000,000 over the foreign trade of the same period of 1922. Of this amount, American ships carried $49,456,366 this year, as compar- ed with $34,166,631 during the same period of the previous year.

British vessels ranked second in the volume of Philippine trade carried, with $37,290,566. Japan- ese ships made a poor third with only a little more than $4,500,000 worth of trade to their credit.

REVOLT ADMITTED

(Reuter's Service)

Helsingfors, Aug. 28.—The Soviet Legation in a statement admits the recent rising in Fer- ghana and Bokhara, which it de- clares, however, lacks political importance.

(Reuter's Service)

Riga, Aug. 28.—The anti-Com- munist risings in the Central Asian provinces continue. A Moscow telegram reports a revolt in the Basmachi Khoja district.

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TRADE DEBTS FOR DISARMAMENT, URGES MRS. CATT

Cancellation of the British war debt, conditioned upon a pledge of disarmament on the part of all nations, is the solution of World War problems offered by Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt before the Institute of Government and Politics at Columbia University. The institute is being conducted by the League of Women Voters in co-operation with the Columbia summer school, and Mrs. Catt's address filled the university gymnasium with a record breaking crowd of 1,000 students, while thousands more throughout the state heard her by radio.

Mrs. Catt said there were more men under arms in Europe today than before the war, that poison gas and chemicals were being manufactured and that the struggle in the Ruhr threatened to involve the world again. Thirty nations were potential enemies of the United States, she said, and the whole world feared to become "vassals of our money power."

NEW WORLD CONFERENCE

"The United States should say to Great Britain we will excuse them the war debt, provided they will excuse payment from France and that France will allow this much on account from Germany," said Mrs. Catt. "As it is now, France and Germany are deadlocked and no nation in Europe can help the situation. Germany says she cannot pay, and France says that makes no difference, she must pay.

"If the United States would make this proposition, and call a conference of all nations similar to the conference on naval disarmament, for the purpose of securing universal disarmament, there would be relief in Europe. Of course, it will not be done—not unless Mr. Bok's peace offer of $100,000 arouses so much interest in peace that public opinion will demand definite action."

Such a proposition would do much, Mrs. Catt said, to restore the United States to the friendship of nations, which it has forfeited because of our policy on the debt and our refusal to join the League of Nations.

ENMITY TO UNITED STATES

"There are sixty nations in the world, of whom thirty are potential enemies of ours," she said. "Of the others twelve are too small to count, and ten are indifferent. Of the twenty republics of South America seventeen are potential enemies. The extent of the unfriendly feeling toward us is appalling. The whole world fears that it is about to become the vassal of our money power.

"England thinks that we did a mean thing in demanding payment of the war debt. They will pay, of course, but they will not forgive. We said we went into the war to end war, to save the world. Then Ambassador Harvey said we went in to save our skins. England wants to know which of those it was. If we went in to help save the world then it was our war as much as it was theirs and we should not have counted the dollars our allies owed us. Britain took over the debt of the little countries. Now is our chance to do a great and noble thing—to make Europe forget that mean part we played. We should forgive Europe the debt."

Referring to the League of Nations, of which she is a constant champion, Mrs. Catt took issue with President Harding's statement that the league was as "dead as slavery."

"That was the way they talked about slavery for fifty years before the Civil War," she said, "and it is the way they talked about suffrage for seventy years. Every time we suffered a local defeat they said 'Oh, suffrage is a dead issue.'"

Mrs. Catt is planning another international journey for next year. She will go to Mexico and Central America this winter for the purpose of organising the women of those countries for woman suffrage and for other forms of feminine endeavor, such as education and social and legal advancement. In the autumn of next year she will go to Buenos Ayres, where there will be formed a federation of women's organisations of the Americas—to be called, probably, the All-American Conference of Women. The newly organised women of Mexico and Central America are to be represented at this conference.

U.S. Quarantines All Foreign Fruit Imports

Washington, August 16.—The Federal Horticultural board today ordered a quarantine enforced against foreign fruits, effective November 1, for the purpose of keeping out Mediterranean fruit flies and other injurious insects. Hawaii, and Porto Rico are not affected by the order.

Mandarin oranges, including the Satsuma and Tangerine from Japan, may not be imported without special permit. Dried fruits do not require a permit.

Railway Guards

As we have pointed out a few days ago, the British have been reported to be taking a leading part in advocating foreign control of the Chinese railways. It appears that the plan adopted by the Special Committee was based upon the British proposal. And for the last few months the British propagandists have been particularly active in sending out feelers to China concerning foreign control of Chinese railways. At one time Reuter was sending daily messages to the Far East of what the diplomatic correspondent of the Daily Telegraph had learnt from government circles in London. The British were represented to be modifiers of the radical schemes proposed by the Powers in connection with the demands to be put to China for the Lincheng affair. These bubbles were, however, finally punctured by the United Press which wired out to China a statement to the effect that the administration of late President Harding had not intended America to intervene and that it had persuaded the others that an extension of foreign control is not practicable, especially if such control should be based upon the Lincheng affair as the sole excuse. Since then the diplomatic correspondent of the Daily Telegraph had nothing to find out concerning foreign control of Chinese railways from the government circles in London.—Peking Daily News.

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I would be glad to receive suggestions and recomendations from the agents and branches of the manufacturers, banks and other business houses of these countries, and of the Chamber of Commerce, with respect to the establishments to be visited and other relevant matters. Address all communications to the Office of the High Commissioner to Investigate Industrial Conditions in Europe, America and Japan, 133 Honan Road, City.

Chang Chien, Jr.
61519 S 1

NOTICE

RAFFLE OF BILL CHAMBERS PHONOGRAPH

The winning ticket in the above Raffle is 425. 61526 A 30

In the International Mixed Court of Shanghai.

Chinese Civil Case No. 514-A.

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Tenders should be sent to the undersigned on or before 15th September, 1923.

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Official Court Accountants.
Avenue Edouard VII,
Shanghai, 25th August, 1923.
61456 A 30

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61466 S 1

LOST

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VAN YUEN 萬源
61533

Belgian Loan, 1923

Notice is hereby given that a new Belgian Loan will be issued at the end of August at 6½% interest, free of any tax and repayable in 20 years.

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Autumn Training Season, 1923.

The Training Season for the Autumn Race Meeting (5th, 6th 7th and 10th November) will commence on Saturday, 1st September, 1923, when the Training (inner) Course will be reserved for Members only.

The Loong-fei (East Entrance to the Public Recreation Ground will be closed and the Race Club's entrance will be available for pedestrians only during training hours.

By Order of the Stewards,
A. W. OLSEN,
Secretary,
Shanghai Race Club.
61457 S 1

LOST

Coupon for 5 shares on share debenture Nos. 7916—7920 issued by the China Merchants Steam Ship Company under the name of Loo Chien Yih, Tung Chih Hospital, The Chinese Guild, Yokohama, was lost on board ship between Yokohama and Shanghai in the Second Year of the Chinese Republic. Report has been made to the company regarding the loss and new coupon for same issued to shareholder above-mentioned. The lost coupon, has been declared null and void.

Tung Chih Hospital,
The Chinese Guild,
Yokohama, Japan.
61356 A 30

LOST

LOST a bill of lading on the N.K.K. s.s. Tochang Maru voyage 734 from Changsha Via Hankow B/L No. 2. YC in diamond four packages old iron machine. The public is hereby warned against negotiating the same.

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61473

LOST

A Godown bill, No. 5, for 200 bales of Graham flour issued by the Dah You Flour Mill, (大有粉廠) in name of Tsun Kiang, (春江戶) was lost on August 17. Besides, having notified the said Mill of the loss and obtained a new bill for taking delivery of cargo and also advertised the matter in the Shun Pao and Sin Wan Pao on August 18, we, lest the public in general did not take note of same, hereby again warn them against negotiating the cancelled Bill.

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Conseil d'Administration Municipale de la Concession Francaise de Changhai

NOTICE

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Rate of interest 6% per annum

The "Conseil d'Administration Municipale de la Concession Francaise de Changhai" hereby invite subscriptions for 8,000 debentures of Tls. 100 each, issued at Tls. 97 each according to the resolution passed at their General Meeting on the 14th May 1923.

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2°.—The Debentures will be issued at Tls. 97 each.

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5°.—The Debenture Certificates will be issued and bear interest from 1st July 1923.

6°.—Applications for Debentures will be received at the Secretary's Office, Rue du Consulat, from June 20 next.

A cheque representing the amount of debentures asked for and payable on June 30th must be deposited at the same time.

7°.—Applications for Debentures under 97 will not be recognised by the Council.

8°.—For further informations, apply to Mr P. Legendre, Secretary, French Municipal Council.

Shanghai, 21st May 1923.

By order,
P. LEGENDRE
Secretary.
T. F. 176

Business and Official Notices

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PEKING, AUGUST 1923.
61225 A 31

NOTICE OF REMOVAL

Assist. Prof. Dr. K. Panek, M. D. begs to announce that he has moved his residence to the same place as office, 124 Szechuen Road, Ward Building Phone C. 1129.
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HEAD OFFICE: PEKING
Branches and Agencies in Domestic Cities and Foreign Countries.
Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement. Credit granted on approved securities. Special Facilities for Transfers to all parts of China.

SHANGHAI BRANCH:
14 The Bund
Shen Chu Hsu, Manager.
T. D. Woo, Sub-Manager.
S. T. Huang, Sub-Manager.
S. K. Yung, Sub-Manager.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Savings Bank Office:
12 The Bund and 9 Broadway.

Deposits of not less than $1.0 will be received.
Not more than $200 will be received during one month from any single Depositor.
Interest at the rate of 3.½ % per annum will be allowed upon the monthly minimum balance.
The maximum balance on which interest will be allowed is $5,000.00.
Deposits may be withdrawn on Demand. Accounts will be kept either in Dollars or Taels, Local Currency, at the option of the Depositor.
Depositors will be presented with Pass Books, in which all transaction will be entered. Pass Books must be presented when paying in or withdrawing money.
OFFICE HOURS. 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturdays, 10 a.m. to noon.

The Bank Of Canton, Ltd.

Incorporated 1912.

Capital Authorised ..£1,200,000-0-0
Capital Paid-up £1,066,520-0-0
Reserve Fund H. K. $800,000.00

HEAD OFFICE:
No. 6 Des Voeux Road Central, Hongkong.

OFFICES:
Shanghai, New York, Canton and Bangkok.

SHANGHAI OFFICE:
No. 1 and 2 Ningpo Road.

AGENCIES:

Honolulu	San Francisco	Kobe
London	Sourabaya	Java
Manila	Singapore	Canada
Yokohama	Samarang	etc.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.
Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

SAVINGS DEPARTMENT.
We shall open our Savings Department beginning on February 21st, 1923. Favorable terms given. Savings deposits are cordially invited.

WONG WEN KUANG,
Manager.

The Exchange Bank of China

SHANGHAI BRANCH.
5 FOOCHOW ROAD.

Telephone: C. 1941.
C. 1946.
C. 5651.
Telegraphic Address: "Knabex"

Capital ..... Yen 10,000,000

Head office ..... Peking.
Registered in the Ministry of Finance.

General Banking Business of Every Description transacted.
Foreign and Domestic Exchange Business a specialty. We issue Demand Drafts, T.T. Letters of Credit, Buying and Selling Specie, etc. etc.
Foreign and Domestic Commercial Papers and Bills discounted.
Loans and Advances made on approved Securities.
Interest allowed on current accounts and fixed deposits according to arrangement.

Foreign Agencies at Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe, Osaka, Nagasaki, Moji, Singapore, Bombay, London, New York.
Domestic Agencies at Tientsin, Hankow, Kiukiang, Tsingtau, Dairen, Changchun, Mukden Soochow, Amoy, Swatow, Hongkong, Canton.
Y. KATADA, Manager.
N. F. CHANG Sub-Manager.

Banque De L'Indo-Chine

Subscribed Capital	72,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital	68,400,000.00
Reserve Fund (1-6-20) ..	60,500,000.00

Head Office:
No. 96 Boulevard Hanoomann, Paris.

Branches and Agencies:

Saigon	Hanoi	Tourane
Haiphong	Hankow	Tientsin
Peking	Canton	Mengtze
Hongkong	Pondichery	Bangkok
Singapore	Shanghai	Noumea
Papeete	Djibouti	Yunnanfu
Pnom-Penh	Battambang	

London Bankers:
The National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.
Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris—Credit Lyonnais.

The Shanghai Agency undertakes all Banking and Exchange operations; grants credits on goods and approved securities; opens current and fixed deposit accounts in taels and francs according to arrangement.

L. ARDAIN.

International Banking Corporation

Capital paid up ....U.S. $5,000,000
Surplus and Undivided Profits ..... U.S. $10,504,980
Owned by the National City Bank of New York.

HEAD OFFICE:
60 WALL STREET, NEW YORK
LONDON OFFICE:
36 BISHOPSGATE, E.C.

BRANCHES

Barcelona	Madrid
Batavia	Manila
Bombay	Panama
Calcutta	Peking
Canton	Rangoon
Cebu	San Francisco
Colon	Santo Domingo
Dairen	Shanghai
Hankow	Singapore
Harbin	Soerabaya
Hongkong	Tientsin
Kobe	Tokio
Lyons	Yokohama

Commercial and Travellers' Letters of Credit, Bills of Exchange and Cable Transfers bought and sold. Current accounts and Savings Bank accounts opened and Fixed Deposits in local and foreign currencies taken at rates that may be ascertained on application to the Bank.

We are also able to offer our Customers the services of the Branches of the National City Bank of New York in the principal countries of South America and in the West Indies.

N. S. MARSHALL, Manager.
1A Kiuklang Road, Shanghai.

The Bank of China

(Specially authorised by Presidential Mandate of 15th April, 1915)

Authorised Capital	$60,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital	$10,760,100.00
Reserve Fund	$ 6,033,345.41

Head Office: Peking.

Branches and Agencies:

Peking	Taiyuan	Shanghai
Tientsin	Kaifeng	Hankow
Chanchun	Wuhu	Ichang
Antung	Anking	Changsha
Dalny	Hangchow	Nanchang
Moukden	Ningpo	Kiukiang
Newchwang	Nanking	Foochow
Harbin	Chinkiang	Amoy
Kirin	Hsuchow	Canton
Tsinan	Soochow	Hongkong
Chefoo	Wusieh	Swatow
Tsingtao	Yangchow	Chungking
etc.,	etc.,	etc.

Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, Berlin, New York San Francisco, Tokio, Osaka and Yokohama.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
12 The Bund

Loans granted on approved Securities. Local Bills discounted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels or Dollars according to arrangement.

SUNG HAN-CHANG,
Manager.

Nederlandsche Handel Maatschappy

(*Netherlands Trading Society*)
Established 1824

Paid-up-Capital: Guilders 80,000,000 (about £6,666,666)
Reserve Funds: Guilders 19,769,181 about £1,647,432)
Special Reserve: Guilders 22,660,000 (about £1,888,333).

Head Office: AMSTERDAM.
Head Agency: BATAVIA
Agencies in Holland:
THE HAGUE and ROTTERDAM

Branches:

Bandjermasin	Pekalongen
Bandoeng	Palembang
Bombay	Penang
Calcutta	Pontianak
Cheribon	Rangoon
Djember	Semarang
Djokjakarta	Singapore
Hongkong	Soerakarta
Kobe	Soerabaya
Kota-Radja	Tegal
Makassar	Tjilatjap
Medan	Welteyreden
Padang	

London Bankers
National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.

Correspondents at the principal places in Europe, Asia, Australia and North America.
The Bank buys, sells and receives for collection bills of exchange, issues letters of credit on its branches and correspondents and transacts banking business of every description.
Shanghai Interest Allowed on current tael accounts and fixed deposits according to arrangement.

M. J. HERBSCHLEB,

行業實江新 The Chekiang Industrial Bank Ltd.

Established 1908
(Member of the Shanghai Bankers' Association)

Capital	$3,000,000.00
Reserve Fund	$300,000.00
Undivided Profits	$120,000.00

Head Office: 14 Hankow Road, Shanghai.
Branches: Hankow and Hangchow.
Domestic Agencies:
In the principal cities throughout China.
Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, Rotterdam, New York, Chicago, San Francisco, Hamburg, Berlin, Tokyo, Kobe, Yokohama, Osaka, Hakodate, Seoul, Fusan and Hongkong.
Banking Department, Foreign Department and Savings Department.

LI MING,
General Manager

Tel. C. 7130, Manager's Office.
C. 7121 to 7124, General Office.
Cable Address:
"CHINDUBANK." Shanghai.

行業業商東遠 The Bank of East Asia Ltd.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
No. 1C Kiukiang Road.

Authorised Capital	$10,000,000.00
Paid up Capital	$5,000,000.00
Reserved Fund H.K.	$500,000.00

HEAD OFFICE: Hongkong.
BRANCHES: Canton, Saigon
LONDON BANKERS: London Joint City and Midland Bank.
Correspondents in all principal cities of the world. All kinds of banking business transacted.
Interest allowed on current deposits and fixed deposits.
Loans granted on approved securities.

R. CHENG,
Manager.

Commercial Bank of China

Head Office: SHANGHAI.

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Subscribed Capital	5,000,000
Paid-Up Capital	2,500,000

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance. On fixed deposits:—
For 3 months at 3% per annum.
For 6 months at 4% per annum.
For 12 months at 5% per annum.
On deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

H. C. MARSHALL,
Chief Manager.

SINO-ITALIAN BANK

Aut. Cap. Silver Dollars.	4,800,000
Aut. Cap. Gold It. Lire	16,000,000
Paid up Capital .. Silver	$1,200,000
Paid up Cap. Gold It. Lire	4,000,000
Reserves ..... Silver	$150,000

Head Office: Shanghai.
Branches:
Hankow, Peking, S'hai, Tientsin.
Bankers:
Italy: Credito Italiano.
England: Credito Italiano, National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ld., Glyn Mills and Currie.
France: Banque Francaise et Italienne pour l'Amerique du Sud Comptoir National d'Escompts de Paris Banque Italo Belge.
United States: Credito Italiano Equitable Trust Company.
Canada: Canadian Bank of Commerce.
South America: Banca Italo Belge.
Switzerland: Banca Unione di Credito.
Banque Commerciale de le Bale.
Len and Co.'s Bank.
Banca Unione de Credito.
Belgium—Credit General Liegeois
Current, fixed and savings accounts carried in Taels, Dollars, Sterling, U. S. Gold, Italian Lire, Francs and other currencies. Terms on application.
General banking business transacted. Special facilities for Italian exchange.
Telegraphic Address: Sinit
SHANGHAI, No. 16 Kiukiang Road.
Tel. C. Nos. 5090 and 5091.
Managers' Office Central 5004.

C. MARMONT,
CHIN YU SHU,
General Managers.

Passengers Arrived

Per N.S. s.s. Hsin Ningshao from Ningpo: Messrs. J. H. Mackenzie, H. E. Gould.

Per C.N. s.s. Hsin Peking from Ningpo: Mr. Hong.

Per C.N. s.s. Poyang from Hankow: Miss Reid, Mr. Sturker, Mr. and Mrs. Got, Miss Rutch Raven, Dr. Jaw, one Naval rating.

Per I-C. s.s. Luenho from Hankow: Mr. J. R. C. Richards; from Kiukiang: Dr. (Miss) B. Coffin, Misses L. Wheeler, Grecolur, M. and Mrs. A. J. Morrison and two childrn, Mrs. M. E McDonald.

Per K.M.A. s.s. Kwangping from Chinwangtao: Misses Benafield, Holway, M. Wood, Mrs. Fenegal and two children, Mons. Darre.

Per Adl. O. Line s.s. President Jefferson from Manila and Hongkong: Miss Julia Gardner, Mr. F. H. De Vinney, Mrs. L. L. Lopez, Mrs. R. Carroll, Mrs. J. Smith, Mrs. C. M. Cruz, Mrs. M. Segueira, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bishop, Miss Helen McLean, Mrs. F. G. Ecada Silva, Miss S. Ecada Silva, Mrs. R. L. and Miss B. Tibbitt, Messrs. T. Tsao, Chu Wai-wong, Yue Wo-chung, Wm. Lewis, Tau Yee-ong, Ng Yee-ting. Through passengers for Seattle: Mr. David Graham, Mrs. Graham and infant, Misses Sorroca Sirilian, Escastica Agatop, Oliva Rohrbaugh, Mr. and Mrs. Bernalo Africa, Mrs. F. M. Sowers, Miss Patricia and Master Kirk Sowers, Mrs. C. D. Neill, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Chambers, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Service, Capt. Adelbert Althouse, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lewis, Miss Ampart Fernandez, Messrs. D. E. Smith, B. Zialcita, G. Zara, R. A. Pronove, P. I. Melina, E. B. McCasset, Ladialao Yap, Pablo Lafrance, Delfin Buencomino, Prof and Mrs. Vidal A. Tan and infant, Mr. Alberto Laurel, Dr. Mariano Tolentino, Mr. Juan P. Torres, Lieut. Manuel Liwang, Messrs. Leon Gonsales, Jose [illegible] Kastro, Bernard Vicrich, E. A[illegible] vinila, Prino Honrado, Augu[illegible] tin Pinares, F. Lonton, Dr. Jo[illegible] Guidote, Dr. Jose Fernande[illegible] Messrs. Francisco Santiago, H[illegible] aric Boxasm Carlos Sulit, Mi[illegible] Jessie Flenner, Mr. J. Mayhew for Yokohama: Major G. V[illegible] Cochean, Messrs P. M. Leavitt, W. Ziegler; for Kobe: Mrs. J. [illegible] Oxberry, Miss E. Varley.

Chung Foo Union Bank

(Established in 1916)

Subscribed Capital	$2,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital	$1,500,000.00
Reserve Fund	$200,000.00

SHANGHAI BRANCH
27 Jinkee Road
Telegraphic Address "CHUNGFOO"
Telephone Numbers ....
C. 1929 Manager's Office.
C. 6468)
C. 6469) General Office.
C. 6470)
C. 5620 T. T. Department.

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES IN CHINA

TIENTSIN	Changsha	Hsuchow	Shasi
SHANGHAI	Chengteh	Ichang	Soochow
PEKING	Chengchow	Kiukiang	Tsinkiangpu
HANKOW	Chinkiang	Nanking	Wusieh
Antung	Fengtien	Ningpo	Wuhu
Canton	Hangchow	Pengpu	Yangchow
Changchun	Hongkong	Shaoshing	

FOREIGN AGENCIES AND CORRESPONDENTS

Baltimore	Cincinnati	Montreal	San Francisco
Berlin	Cleveland	New York	Seattle
Boston	Detroit	Osaka	St. Louis
Buffalo	Kobe	Philadelphia	Tokio
Cebu	London	Pittsburgh	Washington
Chicago	Manila	Paris	Yokohama

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in taels, dollars, and other currencies according to arrangement. Savings Deposits taken. All kinds of Trust Business undertaken.
Safe Deposit Boxes.
Credits granted on approved securities.

Y. B. Sun, Manager,
T. D. Zar, Sub-Manager.

The Shanghai Commercial & Savings Bank, Ltd.

MEMBER OF THE SHANGHAI BANKERS' ASSOCIATION

Head Office: 9 Ningpo Road, Shanghai.

Capital paid up	$2,500,000.00
Reserve	$ 470,000.00

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits. Credits granted on approved securities.

K. P. CHEN
General Manager

The National Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1907.

Capital Fully Paid Up	$2,500,000.00
Reserved Fund	$830,000.00

Head Office: Shanghai:—Peking & Kiangse Roads.
Manager's Office Cen. 2650.
Telephones: General Office Cen. 2613, 2614 and 2615.
Foreign Exchange Dept. C. 7413.
Branches: Hangchow, Hankow, Peking, Tientsin, Mukden, Harbin.
Foreign Correspondents: London, New York, San Francisco, Paris, Berlin, Zurich, Hamburg, Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe, and Osaka.
Domestic Correspondents at all principal cities in China.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars, Gold Dollars, and Yen.
Interest allowed on Deposit at call both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.
Domestic and Foreign Drafts purchased and sold.
Credit granted on approved securities.
SAVINGS ACCOUNTS 4% PER ANNUM
Every description of banking business transacted.
MODERN SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES FOR RENT

If you have business in the Far East—

That kind of a bank you need to help you is one whose business is exclusively of the Far East—

A BANK whose name and reputation will win the respect and confidence of your customers—a bank that is versed in the methods of the East; that knows its customs and markets—a bank that is your experienced business counselor as well as your financial agent.

Such a Bank is the
EQUITABLE EASTERN BANKING CORPORATION

ORGANISED and managed by the officers and directors of The Equitable Trust Company of New York, it will give you the same prestige abroad and the same personal service that distinguishes the parent organisation —with the added convenience of a separate bank devoted exclusively to Oriental business.

Call at our New York or Shanghai Offices, and let us tell you how we can help you.

EQUITABLE EASTERN BANKING CORPORATION
37 WALL STREET, NEW YORK
SHANGHAI OFFICE: 6 KIUKIANG ROAD
Capital Surplus and Undivided Profits U.S. 52,850,000
CENTRAL 7944. A. E. SCHUMACHER, Manager

行銀業商方東 Oriental Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Authorized Capital	$5,000,000
Paid up Capital	$2,500,000

Head Office: Hongkong
Branches: Canton, Bangkok.
Correspondents in all principal cities of the world. Every description of modern banking and exchange business transacted. Interests allowed on current deposits and fixed deposits.
Credits granted on approved securities.
Savings Department.
Special Savings Department for ladies in charge of Chinese ladies well educated and experienced in modern banking.
Bankers.
New York National City Bank.
Westminster Foreign Bank (London),
Union Trust Co., of S. Francisco.
The Canton Bank of S. Francisco.

LI U WAI,
Manager.
24 Kiangse Road

Provision Prices In Local Markets

Prices quoted are in Mexican dollar cents at Hongkew Market compiled on August 28, 1923.

Butcher's Meat		
Beef	per lb.	16-30
Mutton	"	18-36
Pork	"	30-40
Veal	"	24-36
Fish		
Bream	per lb.	16-50
Cod	"	20-25
Mandarin	"	50-60
Mackerel	"	30-35
Pomfret	"	20-25
Salmon	"	25-30
Samii	"	none
Soles	"	20-25
Whitebait	"	25-30
Game Poultry and Eggs		
Dogs	each	none
Eggs	per doz.	25-30
Fowl	per lb.	30-35
Hare	"	none
Partridge	"	none
Pheasant	"	none
Geese	each	70-$1.00
Plover	"	none
Quail	"	none
Snipe	"	15-20
Teal	"	none
Turkey	per lb.	50-55
Woodcock	each	none
Wild Duck	"	none
Duck	"	60-90
Wild Pigeon	"	none
Fruit		
Apricots	per lb.	none
Apples	"	10-15
Banana	"	7-8
Chestnuts	"	none
Cherries	per lb.	none
Cocoanuts	each	15-30
Figs	per doz.	5-8
Grapes	per lb.	20-25
Grape fruit	each	20-25
Lemons	"	5-10
Lichees	per lb.	none
Oranges	"	$1.00-$1.20
Peaches	per lb.	10-15
Mangoes	each	none
Melons	"	20-30
Mangosteens	per doz.	none
Persimmons	per lb.	10-12
Peeboes	"	none
Plums	"	10-14
Pumeloes	each	10-15
Pineapples	"	10-12
Strawberries	per lb.	none
Walnuts	"	8-10
Vegetables		
Artichokes	each	none
Asparagus	per doz.	20-30
Bamboo Shoots	per lb.	none
Beetroot	per bunch	1-2
Broad Beans	per lb.	12-14
Cabbages	each	8-10
Celery	per bunch	2-3
Carrots	"	4-5
Cauliflower	each	none
Egg plant	per lb.	6-8
French Beans	"	20-24
Peas	"	none
Tomatoes	"	8-10
Leeks	per bunch	5-8
Parsnips	"	4-5
Potatoes	per picul	$1.80-$2.00
Radishes	per picul	1-2
Onions	per lbs.	2-3
Spinach	per lb.	6-8
Grain and Flour		
Flour American	per 50 lbs.	$4.20
Flour Shanghai	"	$2.90
Bran	per 114 lbs.	$3.10
Barley	"	$4.00
Rice	per 200 lbs.	$14.00
Milk		
Chinese dairies	per bottle	$0.20
Foreign dairies	"	$0.35
Fuel		
Fire Wood	per 40 bundles	$1.00
Stove Coal	per ton	Tls. 19.[illegible]
House Coal	"	17.[illegible]

E. Kilner,
Chief Inspector.

Financial And Commercial News

BENJAMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST

Yesterday's Close

Stock	Closing Quotations
Banks	
H. K. and S. B.	H.$1,120
Chartered	£19½
Russo-Asiatic	None
Marine Insurance	
Canton	H.$620 B.
North China	Tls. 138
Union of Canton	H.$230 B.
Yangtsze	H.$27 B.
Far Eastern Ins.	Tls. 19
Fire Insurance	
China Fire	H.$128 B.
Hongkong Fire	H.$475 B.
Shipping	
Indo-China Def.	H.$125 S.
Indo-China Pref.	H.$37½ B.
"Shell"	67/9
Shanghai Tug ord.	Tls. 79½
S'hai Tug Pref.	Tls. 52 B.
Mining	
Kaiping	Tls. 20½ B.
Oriental Cons.	18/-
Raub	$4¾ B.
Docks	
Hongkong Dock	H.$141 S.
Shanghai Dock	⅛. 91½
New Engg. Works	Tls. 7 B.
" Pref.	Tls. 5.20 B.
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf	Tls. 198½ B.
Hongkong Wharf	H.$158½ B.
Astor and Hotels	
S'hai Hotel, Ltd.	$45 B.
China Realty ord.	Tls. 50
China Realty Pref.	Tls. 50
French Land	Tls. 121 B.
Shanghai Land	Tls. 120 B.
Carlton Ltd.	Tls. 58 S.
Cotton Mills	
E-wo (ord.)	Tls. 12 B.
E-wo (pref.)	Tls 110 B.
Laou-kung-mow	Tls. 10
Oriental	Tls. 5 B.
Shanghai Cotton	Tls. 76 B.
Industrials	
Cutler Thies	Tls. 25
China Sugar	$217½ B.
Green Island	$28¾ B.
Langkats	Tls. 30¾ B.
Major Bros.	Tls. 5
S'hai Sumatra	Tls. 92½
Stores	
Ball and Holts	$6¾ B.
Llewelyn	$42½
Lane Crawford	$102 B.
Routrie	$55 B.
Watson	H.$21 B.
Weeks	$18
Rubbers (local)	
Lima	Tls. 7½ B.
Amherst	Tls. 0.60
Anglo-Java	Tls. 6¾ B.
Anglo-Dutch	Tls. 3.20 B.
Ayer Tawah	Tls. 23 F.
Batu Anam 1918	Tls. 1.10 B.
Bute	Tls. 0.80 B.
Bukit Toh Alang	Tls. 1.20 B.
Chemor United	Tls. 1.12½ B.
Chempedak	Tls. 7
Chong	Tls. 1½ B.
Consolidated	Tls. 2.85 B.
Dominion	Tls. 2.60 B.
Gula Kalumpong	Tls. 11 B.
Java Consolidated	Tls. 14 B.
Kapayang	Tls. 12 B.
Karan	Tls. 7¼ B.
Kedah	Tls. 1.35 B.
Koth Bakroe	Tls. 1.30 B.
Kroewoek Java	Tls. 16 B.
Padang	Tls. 6½ B.
Pangkalan Lurian	Tls. 1.30 B.
Permata	Tls. 3¼ B.
Repah	Tls. 0.95 B.
Sarungagas	Tls. 0.92½ B.
Sockoes	Tls. 1.30 B.
Semambu	Tls. 1.42½ B.
Senawang	Tls. 1¼ B.
S'hai Klebang	Tls. 0.70 B.
Shanghai Malay	Tls. 4½ B.
S'hai Malay pref.	Tls. 6.90
Shanghai Pahang	Tls. 1.05 B.
Sungala	Tls. 1½ B.
Sungei Duri	Tls. 10 B.
Sua Manggis	Tls. 3¾ B.
S'hai Seremban	Tls. 0.70 B.
Taiping	Tls. 0.77½
Tanah Merah	Tls. 0.87½ B.
Tebong	Tls. 1½ B.
Tiangpoo	Tls. 3.60 B.
Miscellaneous	
C. I. & E. Lumber	Tls. 325
Cathy Dairy	Tls. 14
Shanghai Trams	Tls. 155 B.
Shanghai Gas	Tls. 38½ B.
Horse Bazaar	Tls. 50
S'hai Mercury	Tls. 20 B.
S'hai Telephone	Tls. 71½ B.
S'hai Waterworks	Tls. 171

B. Sellers. Sa. Sales. B. Buyers

Shanghai Sharebrokers Association

Business Done

Shanghai, August 29, 1923

OFFICIAL

Chemors Tls. 1.20

UNOFFICIAL

August 18

Telephones Tls. 72.00

August 29

Tanah Meruhs Tls. 0.90 (100 shares)

Taipings Tls. 0.80 (100 shares)

Money Exchange

Shanghai, August 29, 1923

Mex. Dollars market rate	72.05
Native Interest	.07
Copper Cash	249,660
Shanghai Gold Bar	341
Bar Silver	30⅞
Bank rate of Discount	3%
Paris on London	79.85
New York on London	454⅝
London—	
Telegraphic Transfer	3/0⅞
Demand	3/0⅝
New York—	
Telegraphic Transfer	68¾
Demand	69

OPENING RATES

Hongkong and Shanghai Bank

Open quotations 9:30 a.m.

BANKS SELLING RATES

London (T.T.)	3/0¼
London (Demand)	3/0⅝
London 4 m-s	3/0½
India (T.T.)	228½
France (T.T.)	1185
America (T.T.)	68⅝
Hongkong (T.T.)	74¾
Japan (T.T.)	71⅝
Batavia (T.T.)	180½
Straits (T.T.)	77¾

BANKS' BUYING RATE

London 4 m-s Credits	3/1⅛
London 4 m-s Docts	3/1⅜
London 6 m-s Credits	3/2
France 4 m-s	1245
America 4 m-s L/c	71¼
Docs	71¾

Gold Dollars: Bank Buying Rates

@ 70⅝ = Tls. 142.19

@ exch. 72.3 = Mex. $196.54

Sovereign Bank Buying Rate

@ 3/1¼ = Tls. 6.44

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7% Consolidated	58.00	58.00
11th Year 8%	98.00	98.00
96 Millions 8%	23.50	23.55

Weather Report

Remarks on the 28th.—High pressures over Nippon. A small cyclonic center has has reached Eastern Sea by the west of Naha NW ward. The low center landed to the E of Hongkong is continuing north ward. Low area over the Pacific Ocean. SEly winds backing to the east over our coasts. Fine but sultry weather in China. Some thunder in the Valley.

Morning of the 29th.—Overcast weather with some mist. Unsteady pressure. ESEly breezes.

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Exchange Fluctuations

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Spot and forward bar silver were each up 1-16d. in London yesterday. The New price advanced to 62⅝ cents and the London-New York cross rate to 454⅜. The only changes in our official quotations here today were a drop in the Franc rate to 1195 and a rise in the Yen rate to 71¾.

Our market at the opening was steady but firmed up during the morning. In the early part of the day there were sellers of Sterling at 3-0-11-16 for August September delivery, 3-0⅝ for October and 3-0-9-16 for November December. There were sellers of Gold Dollars at 69½ for near and forward deliveries.

While a small business was done at these rates, there were more sellers than buyers. The market therefore firmed up and at the close there were sellers of Sterling at 3-0 13-16 August, 3-0⅞ September, 3-0 11-16 October and 3-0⅝ for forward. There were sellers of Gold Dollars at 69⅝ for near delivery and 69⅝ for forward and sellers of Yen at 70¼ for near delivery and 70¾ for forward.

Banks were quoting 3-1⅝, 71¼ and 1245 for Sterling, Gold Dollar and Franc bills respectively. India and China bought silver in London yesterday and the Continent sold, the market closing steady. New York also report their market as steady.

Stock Exchange

Transactions

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS

Shanghai, August 29, 1923

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Aug. 28-Nanerie for Karatsu
Aug. 28-Sunland for Japan
Aug. 29-Changon for Hankow
Aug. 29—Loongwo for Hankow
Aug. 29—Chungking for Hankow
Aug. 29—Yohyang M. for H'kow
Aug. 29-Ningshin for Foochow
Aug. 29-Fooching for S. H. C'ton
Aug. 29—Taishin M. for Dairen
Aug. 29—Yamashiro M. for Jap.
Aug. 29—Kwangtah for H. C'ton
Aug. 29-Chuentiao for Cruise
Aug. 29—Likin for Cruise
Aug. 29-Liverpool M. for Japan
Aug. 29-P. Jefferson for Seattle
Aug. 29-Canadian Highlander for Vancouver
Aug. 29—Tjileboet for Japan
Aug. 29—Taisang for Tsingtao
Aug. 29—City of Glasgow for Europe
Aug. 29—Matsuye M. for Europe
Aug. 29—Shinon for C'tao
Aug. 29—Mantua for Japan
Aug. 29-Chengtu for N'chwang
Aug. 29-Shansi for Swatow
Aug. 29-Fausang for W. C. T'tsin
Aug. 29-Shantung for S. H. C'ton
Aug. 29—Childar for N'chwang
Aug. 29—Hainkong for Tientsin
Aug. 29—Huaming for N. Dairen
Aug. 29—Hakushin M. for T'tao
Aug. 29—H. Peking for Ningpo
Aug. 29-H. N'shao for Ningpo

Increased Importation Of Foreign Manufacturing Materials Into United States

The growing dependence of the manufacturers of the United States upon the foreign world for their raw materials is evidenced by the latest figures of American foreign trade. The importation of "crude material for use in manufacturing" will approximate, according to the Trade Record of the National City Bank of New York, a billion and a half dollars in the fiscal year which ends with the current month, against $905,000,000 in the fiscal year 1922, and $1,051,000,000 in the fiscal year 1921.

The principal articles forming this enormous total of manufacturing material entering the country are raw silk, wool, cotton, fibers, India rubber, gums, hides and skins, furs, mineral oil, nickel ore, and copper, while the partly manufactured articles for further use in manufacturing include lumber, vegetable oils, nitrate of soda, wool and cotton yarn, pig tin, and diamonds cut but not set. There is also a limited quantity of iron ore of a class especially suited for mixing with the domestic ore. Tin ore of late has also formed a factor of considerable importance, coming in this form from Bolivia.

A large proporation of the articles thus imported for use in manufacturing are tropical or sub-tropical products, and as they are not the culture of climate conditions which exist in the United States, the money sent abroad by American manufacturers for this class of material continues to increase. The total value of crude material imported for use in manufacturing in 1900 was $276,000,000; in 1910 $566,000,000; in the fiscal year 1914 all of which preceded the war, $633,000,000 and in the current year, in round terms, it will be one and one-half billion dollars, to say nothing of the more than a half billion dollars worth coming in the partly manufactured form.

The whole world, however, contributes in greater or less degree to the wants of American manufacturers. The raw silk of which $285,000,000 worth was imported in the first eight months of the current fiscal year, came chiefly from Japan, which supplied $208,000,000 worth. China $55,000,000, and Italy $8,000,000 worth. Wool, of which the imports of the eight months in question were $87,000,000, came largely from Australia, Argentina, Uruguay, and certain of the European countries which draw from their colonies at least a part of that which they contribute. India rubber, of which the value imported in the eight months in question was $79,000,000 against $55,000,000 in the same period of last year, came largely from the British and Dutch East Indies, and in limited quantities from Brazil, also from the United Kingdom and Netherlands, which send a part of the rubber which they have drawn from the producing colonies.

Of cotton, of which the United States is the world's largest producer, total imports in the eight months were $41,000,000 worth against $31,000,000 in the same months of last year; from Egypt alone $33,000,000 worth, Peru nearly $2,000,000, and China nearly $2,000,000.

The tin which came largely in the form of pigs and bars, was the product of the Malayan Peninsula, the Dutch East Indies, while that coming in the form of ore was from Bolivia. The fibers came chiefly from India and other extremely tropical sections; the gums are chiefly tropical, while petroleum, of which the imports of the eight months ending with February were over 3,000,000,000 gallons, came chiefly from Mexico.

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WEATHER

According to informations received at 8 p.m., the center, that was advancing towards the mouth of the Yangtsze, appears to have veered in a more Northerly direction, to pass between Shanghai and Nagasaki. Rough weather at sea, between the Saddles and Kiusiu.

Variable weather, threatening some showers. The cyclonic center, over the Eastern Sea, will advance N.W., and may cause rough weather and violent squalls over our coasts.

BOARD OF THANKS

The family of the late Rev. Chen Chi-tsai (K. D. Chen)—Mrs. Chen and the two Misses Chen—desire to thank their many friends for their sympathy and floral offerings during their recent sad bereavement.

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New Coal Strike Called

WHAT we ask to ask. Has happened to the coal miners in the United States? Is this threatened strike of the anthracite federation to be a sort of ping-pong affair or is it to be the real thing? President Lewis of the mine-workers has issued a call for the strike and has fixed Monday for September 1. But Mr. Lewis says in his call, the mines will be protected and worked "because nobody wants to have the mines destroyed." The public would be deprived of coal and the miners of their jobs, Mr. Lewis in our exclusive dispatch of yesterday.

Further Mr. Lewis said that public order would be maintained and the rights of property owners protected. How different all this from the ordinary strike call of the past! No flamboyancy, no menace to life and property. Only a dispute to be settled.

Then John Hays Hammond, Chairman of the Coal Facts Commission appointed by the late President Harding, answers the strike call by declaring that there will be no strike. His understanding is that the operators are prepared to yield enough to avoid it. This means, of course, that the miners too are prepared to yield something. The spirit disclosed on both sides calls for praise. It is to be hoped that Chairman Hammond is right when he says that the strike, even though it has been called, will not start. For, no matter how mildly a strike may start, its end, its incidents and its ramifications cannot be foreseen.

With Congress fighting for low prices of coal, labor demanding high wages and the operators trying to placate both whilst making something of a profit for themselves, the public may well sit by in comfort and contentment. It may rest fairly secure in its expectancy of a square deal. If the worst comes, however, in this imminent strike, a problem will confront our new President, Mr. Coolidge. It will be his first big duty to determine whether he has at his command sufficient powers to insure uninterrupted production of coal while the points at issue between the operators and miners are adjusted or whether he needs additional authority from Congress to enable him to meet the situation.

It must be admitted that the power of Congress to regulate by direct legislation the mining industry is not clear enough to reassure those who fear that government action may be required by an emergency which now threatens but, happily, may be averted. The United States supreme court, in a decision rendered by Chief Justice Taft in the Kansas industrial court case, said: "It has never been supposed since the adoption of the federal constitution that the work of . . . the mining operator or the miner was clothed with such a public interest that the price of his product or his wages could be fixed by state regulation."

On the other hand, the United States coal commission, which presumably received the benefit of legal counsel, asserted that coal is as much a public necessity as gas or street railway service, and definitely recommended that in the event of suspension of mining operations the President be empowered to declare an emergency, take control of the mines, direct distribution and fix prices.

The public of the United States must hope that the exercise of such functions by the President in an emergency would not exceed his constitutional powers.

Hongkong's 'Blue Law'

Hongkong has suddenly discovered that there is a law in the Crown Colony prohibiting the signing of chits in hotels except where the person is a resident or taking a meal—and quite some little gabfest has resulted. The Hongkong Hotels Company has been forced to publish notification in the papers explaining why they are forced to demand cash for drinks, and the newspapers are editorialising about it.

The same situation would exist in Shanghai if the Council passed a law prohibiting the signing of chits in the Astor, Palace, Carlton, Del Monte, Parisien, et al, because in Hongkong the Hongkong Hotel and the Repulse Bay Hotel are even more the centers of the Colony's social life.

The Hongkong Telegraph feels that the law should be repealed. Here is that newspaper's argument:

The sudden resolve of the Government to enforce the law prohibiting the signing of chits in hotels, excepting where the person is a resident or is partaking of a meal, is explained. It is the result of information having been given to the authorities by certain persons to the effect that the provisions of the Ordinance are being violated. Perhaps we may be pardoned if we say we are curious as to who these "certain persons" are and whether they represent any considerable section of the public. They would appear to be of the "Pussyfoot" breed, of whom we did not know there were many in Hongkong. So long as a law remains on the Statue Book, of course, its provisions ought to be respected. Indeed, it is the Government's duty to enforce it, without waiting for complaints that it is being evaded. Unhappily, however, there are certain laws in Hongkong which remain a dead letter, although the authorities know that they are contravened. The Government knows the facts in these cases, but it does not trouble to intervene, presumably because there is no popular demand that it should do so. Looking at the matter quite disinterestedly, we really cannot believe that there is any marked desire on the part of the public that this anti-chit law should be rigidly enforced. Indeed, we rather think it has proved somewhat irksome, that it has no real social value and that it would be far better were it repealed without further ado.

We had certainly entertained a hope, when the Bill was first passed, that it might have some good effect in checking extravagance amongst the young men of the Colony, and that people would, in course of time, get more accustomed to carrying cash with which to pay for drinks on the spot. But experience has shown that the law can be easily evaded, and we doubt whether any more people pay cash for drinks now than before the law was promulgated. If we could have an absolutely watertight Ordinance, and if its provisions were extended to Clubs and certain other places as well, there might be a lessening in the amount spent on liquor. But to single out hotels for legislation of this type does seem rather too discriminating. When the Bill was introduced, the Government spokesmen predicted that eventually the hotels would be glad that the law had been passed. That has not been borne out by experience. Apparently they are quite prepared to run the risk of bad debts, just as Clubs do. If so, that is their own business, and we cannot see that the Government need bother itself to legislate for their protection. Summing the whole matter up, we do not believe there is any public demand for a stricter enforcement of the law. Indeed, if a plebiscite were taken, we think it more than likely that the anti-chit section of the Ordinance would be condemned. Holding these views, we are of opinion that the section might, without much harm to anybody, be repealed.

Dr. W. W. Yen has again been requested to accept office as chairman of the Financial Readjustment Committee. They have already provided some money and now they want Yen.

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That ought to make a hit with our Japanese constituency!

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The Irish elections are proceeding peacefully. We'll probably hear next that they voted to prohibit Irish whisky within the borders of the Free State and that an Orangeman has been named president unanimously. The world do move.

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A branch of the K. K. K. has been formed in Australia. They'll probably be called the Klu Klux Kangaroos.

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REMARKABLE REMARKS

"The idiot who invented lecturing is the chief person who keeps the League of Nations and the Anglo-American alliance from being possible."—Sinclair Lewis.

"If we were all good and noble and fine there would be no interest in being alive."—Ian Hay.

"If we can only keep the people fed all will be well."—Chancellor Stresemann of Germany.

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America is now buying rubber in the London market. Mebbe Henry's figuring on giving President Coolidge the grand bounce?

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Or, of course, there's the possibility that Uncle Sam is preparing for the tourist season.

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Canton is now being subjected to likin for mutton, according to a Reuter's dispatch. A likin for mutton, to our mind, is impossible, even in Canton!

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IMA HOOT NANNY

Miss Ima Hoot Nanny entertained a missionary cousin of her mama's yesterday by reading him Mr. Anon's graceful verse:

A cannibal was sitting on a green
Pacific Isle
With the temperature at ninety-nine degrees,
His dress was rather scanty, in a truly savage style.
Just a pair of Boston garters 'round his knees.
But he didn't seem quite happy, for every now and then
A groan escaped that tore his breast in two;
And he shouted in a melancholy, meditative tone
This ditty that I now repeat to you.
"I have eaten hostile tribesmen
With the greatest of urbanity,
I have feasted on the yellow, black and brown;
But to eat a missionary
Was the acme of insanity;
You can't keep a good man down."

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Members of Parliament are now getting $900 a vote for the Presidency in Peking. We don't know how many M.P's. were here but we'll bet the last one took the train North this morning.

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"Yes, little Garlic-san, if you drink butter-milk you may live to be a hundred Chet Fritz sez but who wants to be a hundred under such circumstances?

Larry

Yugo-Slavia And Her Problems

(Yugo-Slavia has been described as the "most interesting patch on the new map of Europe." Here are being worked out some of the most intricate problems in what has been called "the statification of nationality." I.e., the building into a solid state of a national group that has hitherto been a submerged minority. The break-up of the old Austro-Hungarian dominion has released forces only comparable with those that the physicist expects to harness for human needs when the breaking up of the atom has become a daily operation. In the subjoined and succeeding articles, specially written for The Far Eastern Times, Miss Karlin, herself a Yugo-Slav, surveys the problems facing her people, and gives some indication of their possible solution, incidentally throwing many side lights on her native land.)

BY A. M. KARLIN

Nothing is more ridiculous than hatred, and nothing half so disastrous. If pre-war Europe in general, and Austria in particular, had chosen active mutual cooperation instead of weakly indulging in dreams of separation and petty national greatness, there would have been no war then, and no misery now. Yet nations learn slowly. With the example of Austria's fate clearly before her, Yugoslavia is going the same road, torn by the same conflicting desires. If Francis Joseph could have collected his peoples round his deathbed he too might have told them the old fable of the bundle of arrows which nobody could break as long as they were united, but as long as he lived, poor and indulgent old father that he was, he merely pacified them a little by now giving a cake to this child, now to the other, with the only result of making them all howl dismally.

Before I go back about half a century to show the gradual awakening of the third and smallest of the Yugoslav nations I should like to point out where Yugoslavia is. Not that I want to offend the reader by doubting his geographical knowledge, but whenever I present my passport (the only time I remember that I am really a Yugoslav for my mother tongue is German) I am either greeted as a Tchechoslav, declared a Bolshevik or supposed to be a cave-dweller of mysterious origin somewhere near Asia Minor. Therefore I wish to point out in all humility that Yugoslaviaw—which means South Slav country—does what her name implies: e.g. lying in the South. Her northern boundaries touch southern Austria, Dalmatia reflects her ancient beauty in the Adriatic sea and, towards the East the real Serbian kingdom touches Bulgaria.

There has been much talk these six years why the three chief nations of the newly created state Yugoslávia should remain united, and likewise some serious consideration whether it were advisable for them to separate, and it is my opinion that not even the most impartial and experienced statesman could decide this question today. It will depend on material conditions in Europe as people are more willing to put up even with an unpopular government if they lead easy lives, on the wisdom of the leaders to conciliate the three nations, and on the intellectual development of each separate South Slav nation which up to now has followed widely diverging lines. One thing, however, strikes even the casual observer strongly: Both Croatians and Slovenes shock off the Austrian yoke in a very ecstasy of delight in order to develop freely their own language, their own literature, their own national tendencies and characteristics; today they must both relinquish this aim, drown their own past, forget their tongue and become part of Serbia if the newly formed state is to flourish to any degree. Enthusiasts confirm that this is immaterial as all Slav languages are sisters, but the great bulk of the Slovene and especially of the Croation population strongly object to the strange street names all in cirilica; the Russian alphabet, to the notifications in Serbian, the teaching of all three tongues in schools with the result of obtaining a good knowledge of none, the possible loss of their old folk-songs, their customs, their own traditions. The Croatians whose civilisation is the highest of the three feel it most acutely, and their country lies between Slovenia and Serbia. But though it is rarely acknowledged even Slovenes regret the threatening loss of their individuality. It will be best, before going into interesting reminiscences, to give the reader a short outline of the sudden awakening of the national consciousness of the Slovenes which took place as late as 1867, while Serbs were a full-fledged and very warlike nation already at the time of Charlemagne. Croation history goes likewise far back.

Only their national life awakened about 1860, when they first realised that they had a language of their own, national poets, painters and thinkers, a language endangered of being drowned by the constant use of German. They had had poets before that—Vodnik, the lonely dreamer, who in his touching poems says that he leaves neither wife nor children to weep at his tomb, but that all his poems are his children, his gift to mankind: Preseren reflects the tender melancholy so characteristic to all Slav nations—but they had never before realised the fact that they were, at heart, essentially different from the Germans, and that they might and should develop along different lines.

Those who would like to study this sudden national awakening thoroughly ought to read the "Spomini" by Vosnjak, the great Slav leader. It is a small book, and it is written in the plainest of peasant Slovene, but it reflects the Slovene character which is absolutely that of a small farmer—hospitable, somewhat narrow-minded, precautious, found of boisterous amusements, good drink and good food, steady, and little given to speculations on things impractical—with marvellous accuracy. It was he who in the first enthusiasm of his youth revived the national memories in the hearts of all the persons he came in contact with; the story of the "Zlatorog" (gold-horn) the mysterious chamois of the Carniolian Alps; the sages about the Triglav and its seven lakes; the half-forgotten sayings, the innumerable stories told in peasant houses in winter-time when everybody, men and women, were busy cleaning the mais. It was he who made his friends sing at each convivial gathering the old folk songs of the "old saraphan," the faithless bride, the passionate love songs and the unending praises of the "sweet wine." All this sounds trivial, but just in these trivial things we must look for the true soul of the Slovene in order to understand why he came to long to celebrate his births, funerals, marriages, church festivals and fairs in his own way, singing his songs, decorating the palms on Palm Sunday with the red, blue and white paper streamers showing the national colors: all longed to wear the carnation in their button-hole as the German Austrians did their corn-flower, and they felt at a disadvantage, later on, of having absolutely to enter a German school, if they wanted any save an elementary education. They had been glad to accept facts for centuries without questioning; perhaps it was better so. At any rate, ever after 1860 Vosnjak and other enthusiasts roused their national feeling, and Austria's wavering politics, now granting, now repressing, now leaning to the Germans, and now, especially after '66 rather encouraging the other nationalities within the realm started that tedious and unprofitable round of hostilities which ended—happily, I am inclined to say in spite of all—in the downfall of the old Empire. Two ways of governing had been open to Francis Joseph: either to rule his empire with an iron hand suppressing all revolt, Germanising the country absolutely, so as to create at least linguistic unity; this was a method unfit for enlightened modern times; or to give perfect freedom of development to each of the 16 nations under his sway, granting them schools, universities and in all equal facilities, appealing at the same time strongly to their pride in their "united states," and pointing out to them the most extensive co-operation. That was a difficult policy, too difficult for an old and heart-broken man, for it demanded, above all, a dissatisfying of every nation before any advantage could become visible. So he played one nation against another, withdrawing into his own circle, disgusted and grieved at the growing hostilities. This fight for ascendency embittered, however, all nations without exception, made them distrustful, mean and cruel, killed all patriotism and all national pride as an Austrian subject, and led to the dismemberment so long expected and desired. And although poor Austria is suffering most I yet say with conviction: Now, for the first time after centuries, the German Austrian will, as soon as circumstances grow somewhat better, develop once more his best characteristics, free from envy, hatred and restraint.

Bobbie And His Pa

BY WILLIAM F. KIRK

I think sum peepul pick out sum quear ways in wich to brake into the papers, sed Ma. Here is a picter of a gurl that has a pet snail sed Ma, and here is a picter of a gurl that danced 100 hours without a skip, sed Ma.

Yes, sed Pa. You doant happin to notis any picters of a gent doing anything foolish like that, do you? sed Pa.

Oh, of course not, of course not, sed Ma—the perfect seeks the men, sed Ma. But I do notis here a picter of a man that broak jail, sed Ma, and nother picter of a man that sold a milyun dollars worth of mines to widows, sed Ma, and then found out he dident happin to have any mines to sell, sed Ma.

Yes, sed Pa, it is trew that now and then a man does sumthing rong, sed Pa, but not sumthing silly, like having a pet snail, sed Pa.

I addermit it is silly to have a pet snail, sed Ma, but thiuk of all the noabel wimmen that have no pets excep thare husbands. My husband is my pet, sed Ma.

I suppoas you meen that you have talmed me, is that it? sed Pa.

Aint I yure pet also? I sed.

Yes, Bobbie, sed Ma, you are my pet and my preshus littel boy, sed Ma wen you beehalv yureself. But many times both you and yure father are vary trying to me, sed Ma, pests insted of pets, Ma sed. But I wuddent know what to do without eether of you, sed Ma.

Isent it the trewth, tho, sed Pa, that lots of wimmen has silly fads?

I suppose so, sed Ma, but loos at the silly fads that men has. I saw a gent on the St. car this morning, sed Ma, with pink socks and a pink nose, sed Ma. It reminded me of the old days before the good ships stood out to sea with cargoes of Rum, sed Ma.

I am gitting kind of lonesum for the sight of a good red beezer, sed Pa. Moast of my dear old pals has gone, sed Pa, and carried thare red noases along with them to lite up the gloom of the graive, bless thare deer old sporty harts, sed Pa. One by one thay withered up and dropped off, sed Pa, but I still stand, sez Pa, like a lonely old Oke Tree on a hill, sed Pa. And you wud lots rather have me, wuddent you, wife, sed Pa, than to have a pet snail?

Ma laffed.

I shud say so, sed Ma. You step around and bring hoam the old checks, sed Ma, wich is sumthing a snail wud nevver be abel to do.

I dant think Ma is silly like sum wimmen, but she cuddent vary well be silly with 2 such brite foaks around as I and Pa.

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By George McManus

WHAT'S THAT?
HELP!
THERE YOU ARE-ME BOY-EVERBODY SEEMS TO BE IN CELLARS THESE DAYS.
I FELL IN BY ACCIDENT-I WAS LOOKING UP IN THE AIR-
BY GOLLY YOUR FACE IS FAMILIAR-
OH! YOU ARE MR. JIGGS-YOU KNOW ME? I GIVE YOUR WIFE SINGING LESSONS-
HELP!!
HELP!!
HELP!!
GEO MCMANUS

The Magellanic Clouds

BY GARRETT P. SERVISS

In the romance of South Sea discovery and the tales of the mariners who followed Magellan, Drake, Bougainville, Cook, Cavendish, Dampier and the other early navigators in their round-the-world adventures, the Magellanic Clouds hold a place of peculiar interest. Combined with the "Coal Sacks" of the Southern Milky Way and the Southern Cross, they served to throw an air of mystery over the south celestial hemisphere that clings to it in the imagination.

The "Coal Sacks" are black, starless chasms in the Galaxy, the most remarkable of them lying near the brilliant "Cross." They were regarded with superstition and dread by the ignorant sailors of those days. Even now their nature is not certainly known, although it is probable that they consist of clouds of obscuring matter, hiding stars behind them.

The Magellanic Clouds, on the contrary, are luminous objects. They lie nearer the Southern celestial pole than the Cross and the Coal Sacks, and in a different direction from it. The largest of them, called the Nubecula Major, is conspicuous. The Arabs, who could catch sight of it from the southern end of their country, called it the "White Ox." It and the smaller similar cloud have been compared in appearance to broken off portions of the Milky Way.

As carefully studied with the giant telescopes of modern times both the clouds seem to be masses of nebulae and star clusters. Sir John Herschel counted 286 nebulae in the large cloud. Later observations show that the star clusters in the small cloud are remarkable for the great number of rapid variables that they contain. Some of these variables have a period of less than a single day, which is as if our sun should alternately brighten and fade, with enormous gain and loss of heating power, in a space of less than twenty-four hours, keeping up the changes with unceasing regularity! We might well complain of having our lot cast under the wing of a sun like that, if such had been our fate; but then the torment would have been brief—a single day's experience would have ended our career.

One of the most astonishing things that have lately been learned about the Magellanic Clouds is that the larger one, at least, consists to a great extent of "giant stars" of almost unthinkable light-giving power. In the current annual report of the Harvard Observatory, the Director, Harlow Shapley, says: "It is already evident that many stars in the Large Magellanic Cloud exceed the sun in brightness by ten thousand times."

And yet these stupendous suns are so far away that their light blends together with that of other stars making up the cluster, so that, to the naked eye looking from our earth, they are not individually visible, but simply mix their rays in a haze of misty light. The distance of the larger cloud has been found, from measures of five globular clusters contained within its limits to be somewhat in excess of a hundred thousand light-years. That means about six hundred quadrillion miles! This is more than six thousand million times the earth's distance from the sun.

If the sun were placed at the distance of the Magellanic Cloud, it would be so completely swallowed up from sight that the most powerful telescope could not show it. If introduced into that magnificent assemblage of stellar giants its inappreciable rays would add nothing to the glimmering light of the cloud.

And yet, though to an eye situated within that cloud the heavens would seem to glow with ineffable splendor, we must not suppose that there is any real crowding there—not even in the clusters. Immense as the congregated stars are, they have abundant room around them. The actual diameter of the great cloud must be at least one-tenth of its enormous distance, since it has a mean angular diameter of at least six degrees.

Looked at from the midst of it the Milk Way would be seen, not surrounding the observer as we see it, but as a vast crown of light, encircling less than a hemisphere of the heavens, and much brighter on one side than on the other.

Words From The Lips Of Wise Men

Troubles come to all men but those who are looking for them will have the largest share.

Courage is a virtue which the young cannot spare—to lose it is to grow old before one's time.

Honesty is not a spectacular virtue, but it is the one most highly appreciated by all good and loyal men.

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No matter how orderly she is by nature, it is a mistake for a woman to be always putting her husband in his place.

The fact that they are boring other people does not prevent some men from amusing themselves.

The love and care of fathers and mothers set in that most precious surrounding, a home, are the beginnings of true education.

There is no monopoly of vice or virtue in any class, or monopoly of patriotism in any section of the people.

NEW GEMS by O. HENRY

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DECORATION DAY

DECORATION Day has passed, and the graves of the Northern and Southern soldiers have been duly flower strewn, as is meet and fitting. The valor of the North has been told on a thousand rostrums, and the courage of the South has been related from ten-hundred platforms. Battles have been fought again, and redoubts retaken. Much has been said of brotherly love and the bridging of the chasm. The Blue has marched abreast to the common meeting place, and the Gray has marched abreast, and they have met and shaken hands and said the war is over. There can be no such thing as a union of the Blue and the Gray. When you pronounce the words you form the bar that separates them. The Blue is one thing and the Gray is another. There should be no more Blue and no more Gray. If a tribute is to be paid to the heroes on either side whom we wish to keep in remembrance, it should be made by American citizens, not divided by the colors of their garments. There is no need to march by grand armies, by camps or by posts. If there is to be a shaking of hands, let it be done by one citizen of the United States with another. The Gray and Blue are things of the past. In the innermost hearts, in the still quick memories of the South, the Gray will always live, but it should live as in a shrine, hallowed and hidden from pomp and display. As citizens of a common country, we of the South offer our hands to citizens of the North in peace and fellowship, but we do not mingle the Gray with the Blue.

What Women Wear

BY ANNE RITTENHOUSE

The apron idea as it is incorporated here and there in women's clothes this spring has nothing to suggest that other mode when aprons were adopted as purely decorative note—the period that we associate with the clothes worn by Marie Antoinette when she first went to the court of Versailles.

Then waists were small as a necessary midpoint of the hour glass silhouette and the decorative little aprons were of lace falling over the parting of the pannieres draped on either side and veiling the inverted V of brocade or quilted petticoat that usually showed beneath.

Now the apron is seldom found as part of the bouffant type of frock. It is more apt to be found in the frock of clinging or draped lines. In the imported dinner frock shown in the sketch you may see an apron of embroidered black net over black satin—the skirt at the back between the edge of the apron being filled in by the loops and ends of an enormous bustle bow.

Another mode that might be regarded as in the apron class is the plaited skirt that has been worn to some extent at French resorts during the late winter and early spring. It was such a sensible, practicable plan that one wonders why it has not been more generally adopted on this side of the Atlantic. This frock showed a perfectly plain under skirt with the effect of a plaited skirt, produced by tieing a plaited apron around the front with a narrow belt fastening at the back. At the back the two sides of the plaited apron missed only eight or ten inches of meeting. Of course the advantage of such a skirt is that there are no plaits at back to be flattened out. It was with this object that the skirt was designed but the result showed an interesting line that made it worth while apart from its practical advantage.

One wearies of considering how last year's frocks can be revamped to meet the new season's demands. There is far less of this sort of revamping now than was once the case. Women have apparently made up their minds that they would rather wear a frock lacking in the earmarks of the latest mode than a frock robbed of expert finish and made a trifle dowdy by their own inexpert attempts at bringing it up to date. Still there are times when one feels constrained to modify a last year's frock. The ornamental apron and the bustle are excellent contrivances in doing this with a last year's evening frock. The plain straight up and down evening frock that hangs forlorn and neglected in your wardrobe will yield to the treatment. Take off the old girdle, the festoon of enormous flowers, or whatever marks the dividing line between skirt and bodice. Attach your lace apron and then cover the juncture of the apron at the top with a wide crushed girdle, leaving ends long enough to form a bustle at the back line the one shown in the sketch. Very often this girdle and bustle effect is produced by six or seven yards of very wide ribbon.

Imported dinner frock of black satin with embroidered apron and bustle bow at back.

Once Overs

BY J. J. MUNDY

Had to scrape around as usual this year to get money enough to go vacationing.

Last year when you returned from your summer outing minus a bank account or perhaps with an "over-drawn" notice in your mail, you determined to be caught thus—"never again."

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For a few weeks you carried this on, then you let it drop, and here you are again, about to take your vacation, not enough money to do as planned, and your checking account depleted.

Now what are you going to do in regard to next year's vacation?

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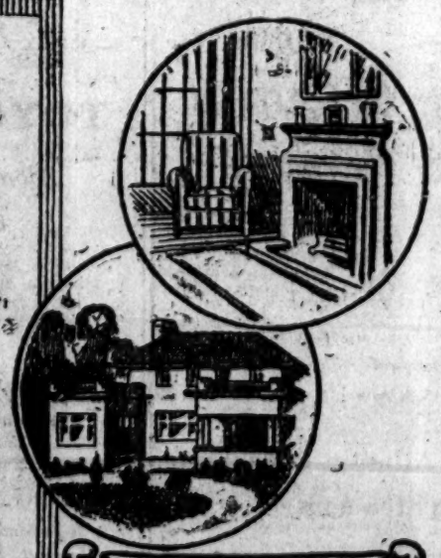

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The C.N. s.s. Wuchang left Hankow on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangwah left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The I-C. s.s. Suiwo left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The C.N. s.s. Wenchow left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

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The C.M. s.s. Kiangyung will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Tuesday.

The C.N. s.s. Whangpu will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Tuesday.

SOUTHERN PORTS

The C.N. s.s. Suiyang left Hongkong on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai next Saturday.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinchi left Foochow on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai today.

The I.-C. s.s. Taksang is due in Shanghai from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow on Saturday.

The I.C. s.s. Yusang is due in Shanghai from Hongkong and Swatow on Sunday.

The C.N. s.s. Sinkiang is due in Shanghai from Hongkong at 8 o'clock this morning.

The C.N. s.s. Szechuen is due in Shanghai from Hongkong at 8 o'clock Saturday morning.

NORTHERN PORTS

The C.M. s.s. Hsinchang left Tientsin for Lungkow, Hongkong and Canton on Tuesday.

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The I.-C. s.s. Kingsing is due in Shanghai from Tientsin, Chefoo and Weihaiwei on Sunday.

The I.-C. s.s. Wutang is due in Shanghai from Antung and Newchwang on Sunday.

JAPAN PORTS

The N.Y.K. s.s. Nagasaki Maru will arrive in Shanghai from Nagasaki this morning, and is to dock at the Wayside Wharf. The liner will sail for the same port at daylight tomorrow.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Chikugo Maru is due in Shanghai from Yokohama and Yokkaichi today and will dock at the Wayside Wharf.

INDIAN LINES

The B.I. s.s. Takada left Calcutta on Saturday, August 18, and is due in Shanghai via Rangoon and ports about Sept. 10.

The P. and O. s.s. Sicilia, from Bombay, is expected to leave Hongkong for Shanghai next Saturday at noon.

EUROPEAN LINES

The P. & O. s.s. Macedonia left Yokohama on Sunday and is due in Shanghai on Saturday. The steamer is to sail for London via ports on September 4.

The N.D.L. s.s. Weser left Port Said on August 18 and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on Sept. 13.

The P. & O. s.s. Malwa is due to leave London tomorrow and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on October 10.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Agapenor left Singapore on August 24, and is due in Shanghai tomorrow morning.

The Norwegian, Africa and Australia Line s.s. Mesna, from Christiania via ports, left Southampton on August 20, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai about October 14.

The S. E. s.s. Canton, from Gothenburg, left Suez on August 9, and is due to arrive in Shanghai on September 5.

The S. E. s.s. Ceylon, from Gothenburg, left Antwerp on August 17, and is due in Shanghai about October 5.

The M.M. s.s. Amboise, from Marseilles on July 27 with mail, will arrive at Hongkong at 10 o'clock this morning, and is expected in Shanghai on Sunday, September 2.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Patroclus will leave Shanghai for Marseilles and London today, and the tender with outgoing passengers will leave the Customs jetty at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

The P. and O. s.s. Karmala, from London on August 3, is expected to leave Singapore for Hongkong and Shanghai next Saturday.

The Glen Line m.v. Glenapp arrived in London from Shanghai via ports on August 20.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Perseus left Hongkong on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai at daylight tomorrow morning.

The M.M. s.s. Paul Lecat arrived in Shanghai from Kobe yesterday and docked at the S.M.R. Whangpoo Wharf. The liner will sail for Marseilles at 1 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, and passengers should embark at the wharf after 11 a.m.

AMERICAN LINES

The Columbia Pacific s.s. West Keats will arrive in Shanghai from Portland, Oregon, today, and is to sail for the same port via Hongkong and Manila on Saturday.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Eurybates, from New York, left Kobe on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai via Moji, Taku Bar and Dalny today.

The P.M. s.s. President Lincoln, from San Francisco on Aug. 13, was due at Yokohama yesterday and arriving in Shanghai via Kobe on Sunday.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Madison, from Seattle on Aug. 19, should arrive at Yokohama today, and is expected in Shanghai next Tuesday.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President McKinle, is due to leave San Francisco today, and arriving in Shanghai via Yokohama and Kobe on September 16.

The S. & B. s.s. West Faralon is due in Shanghai from San Francisco and Los Angeles next Saturday, and will sail for Hongkong and Manila on Monday.

The Columbia Pacific s.s. Hannawa is due in Shanghai from Portland next Tuesday, and will sail for the same port via Hongkong and Manila on September 7.

The Columbia Pacific s.s. West Jena is due in Shanghai from Portland on September 12, and will sail for the same port via Tsingtao, Taku Bar and Dairen on September 15.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Jefferson left Shanghai yesterday and is due in Seattle via Kobe and Yokohama on September 14.

The C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Canada, from Vancouver on August 23, is due at Yokohama next Monday, and is expected in Shanghai on September 7.

The P.M. s.s. President Wilson, from San Francisco on August 23, was due to leave Honolulu yesterday, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Yokohama and Kobe on September 12.

The P.M. s.s. President Pierce which was to sail for San Francisco next Saturday, has been delayed by bad weather at Hongkong. The liner is not expected to arrive in Shanghai from that port next Sunday, and will probably sail on Monday morning.

Vessels Due

Agapenor, *Liverpool*	Aug. 31
Amboise, *Marseilles*	Sep. 2
Canton, *Gothenburg*	Sep. 5
Chekiang, *Tientsin*	Sep. 5
Chikugo Maru, *Yokohama*	Aug. 30
Chungking, *Hankow*	Sep. 6
Eelbeck, *Manila*	Aug. 30
Eurybates, *New York*	Aug. 30
Elveric, *New York*	Sep. 6
Fushimi Maru, *Yokohama*	Sep. 6
Gweneth, *Singapore*	Aug. 31
Hannawa, *Portland*	Sep. 3
Haru Maru, *Chinwangtao*	Sep. 5
Hwaii Maru, *Hongkong*	Sep. 3
Hsinchi, *Foochow*	Aug. 30
Hsin Peking, *Ningpo*	Aug. 31
Hsin Ningshao, *Ningpo*	Aug. 31
Hsin Kiangteen, *Ningpo*	Aug. 30
Kiangwah, *Hankow*	Sept. 1
Kingsing, *Tientsin*	Sep. 2
Kiangan, *Hankow*	Sep. 4
Kiangtoo, *Hankow*	Aug. 31
Kiangyung, *Hankow*	Sept. 3
Kiangyu, *Hankow*	Aug. 30
Kertosono, *Rotterdam*	Sep. 3
Kungwo, *Hankow*	Aug. 30
Kutwo, *Hankow*	Sep. 5
Loongwo, *Hankow*	Sep. 6
Luenyi, *Hankow*	Aug. 30
Macedonia, *Yokohama*	Sept. 1
Nagasaki Maru, *Nagasaki*	Aug. 30
Nikko Maru, *Osaka*	Sep. 5
Perseus, *Liverpool*	Aug. 31
Pres. Pierce, *Hongkong*	Sep. 2
Pres Lincoln, *S. Francisco*	Sep. 2
Prss. Madison, *Seattle*	Sep. 4
Rosandra, *Singapore*	Sep. 6
Saparoea, *Vladivostok*	Sep. 4
Sakaki Maru, *Dairen*	Sep. 3
Shanghai Maru, *Nagasaki*	Sep. 3
Shengking, *Hankow*	Sep. 2
Sicilia, *Bombay*	Sep. 4
Siberia Maru, *S. Francisco*	Sept. 2
Sinkiang, *Hongkong*	Aug. 30
Soochow, *Hongkong*	Sep. 3
Suiyang, *Hongkong*	Sept. 1
Suiwo, *Hankow*	Sept 1
Szechuen, *Hongkong*	Sep. 1
Taksang, *Hongkong*	Sep. 1
Tatung, *Hankow*	Sep. 5
Tuckwo, *Hankow*	Sep. 2
Tungchow, *Tientsin*	Sep. 2
West Keats, *Portland*	Aug. 30
Wenchow, *Hankow*	Sept 1
West Faralon, *S. Francisco*	Sept. 1
Whangpu, *Hankow*	Sep. 3
Wosang, *Antung*	Sep. 2
Wuchang, *Hankow*	Aug. 31
Yungshin, *Ningpo*	Aug. 30
Yusang, *Hongkong*	Sep. 2
Yungchow, *Tsingtao*	Sep. 1

Sailed from Shanghai

FOR SAN FRANCISCO

President Lincoln	July 21
President Taft	Aug. 4
Acme	Aug. 12
Tenyo Maru	Aug. 16
President Cleveland	Aug. 18
Korea Maru	Aug. 23

FOR VANCOUVER

Stuart Dollar	July 24
Canadian Transporter	July 31
Empress of Canada	July 31
N. D. de Fourviere	Aug. 3
Empress of Russia	Aug. 13
Empress of Australia	Aug. 27
Canadian Highlander	Aug. 29

FOR SEATTLE

President Madison	July 24
Eldridge	Aug. 1
Yokohama Maru	Aug. 4
Harold Dollar	Aug. 5
President McKinley	Aug. 6
President Jackson	Aug. 17
President Jefferson	Aug. 29

FOR PORTLAND, ORE.

West O'Rowa	July 24
West Jessup	Aug. 6

FOR NEW YORK

Gothic Prince	July 21
Independence	July 22
Virginia Dollar	July 24
Manila Maru	July 25
City of Madras	Aug. 5
Talthybius	Aug. 7
Egremont Castle	Aug. 11
Delagoa Maru	Aug. 10
Alaska Maru	Aug. 10
Africa Maru	Aug. 21
City of Boston	Aug. 21
Moorish Prince	Aug. 27

FOR UNITED KINGDOM

Devanha	July 21
Peleus	July 23
Kashima Maru	July 25
Sarpedon	Aug. 1
Khiva	Aug. 4
Titan	Aug. 12
Carnarvonshire	Aug. 12
Laomedon	Aug. 14
Dardanus	Aug. 16
Kashmir	Aug. 18
Hakone Maru	Aug. 19
City of Dunkirk	Aug. 22
Suwa Maru	Aug. 25
Durban Maru	Aug. 26
Agamemnon	Aug. 27
City of Glasgow	Aug. 29

FOR HAMBURG

City of Pekin	July 24
Emil Kirdorf	July 26
Gleniffer	Aug. 4
Scheer	Aug. 15
Goettingen	Aug. 16
Muensterland	Aug. 19

FOR COPENHAGEN

Bolivia	Aug. 14

FOR ROTTERDAM

Saleier	Aug. 5

FOR TRIESTE

Duchess D'Aosta	Aug. 5

FOR MARSEILLES

Angkor	Aug. 3
Commandant Dorise	Aug. 13
Chambord	Aug. 17

OR INDIA

Torilla	July 21
Hosang	July 25
Soudan	Aug. 3
Allpore	Aug. 17

Passengers Departed

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Steamers Arrived

Aug. 29—H. N'shao from Ningpo
Aug. 29—H. Peking from Ningpo
Aug. 29-Hakozaki M. from Europe
Aug. 29—Saikio M. from Dairen
Aug. 29-Hunan from Swatow
Aug. 29West O'Rowa from H'kong
Aug. 29-Wm. Penn from N. Y.
Aug. 29—Luenho from Hankow
Aug. 29—Kikin from Hankow
Aug. 29-Tuchang M. from H'kow
Aug. 29—Kumano M. from Jap.
Aug. 29—Poyang from Hankow
Aug. 29-P. Lecat from Japan
Aug. 29-Kutsang from Calcutta
Aug. 29—Shuntien from T'tsin
Aug. 29—Saga M. from Japan
Aug. 29—Masuho M. from Jap

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S.S. President Cleveland	Oct. 27

FOR HONGKONG and MANILA

S.S. President Lincoln	Sept 4
S.S. President Wilson	Sept. 14
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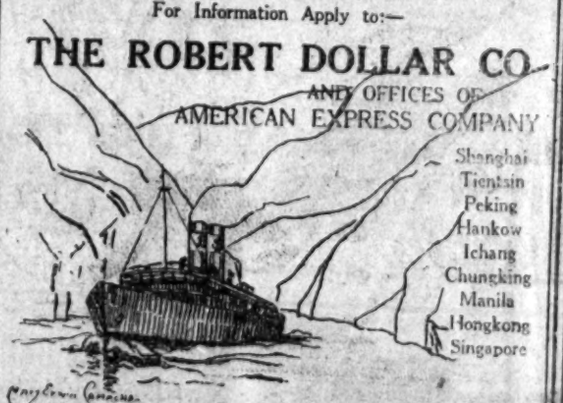

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DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Sep. 2	9 p.m.	P. Pierce	S. Francisco	Sep. 20
Sep. 4	2 p.m.	Hawaii Maru	Seattle	
Sep. 8	———	E. of Asia	Vancouver	Sep. 24

TO SOUTHERN PORTS, INDIA AND EUROPE VIA SUEZ

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Today	12 noon	Patroclus	Marseilles	Oct. 1
Aug. 31	10 a.m.	Paul Lecat	Marseilles	Oct. 4
Sept. 4	10 a.m.	Macedonia	Marseilles	Oct. 8

TO NORTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Vladivostok	Daily	11 a.m.	via Harbin
Siberia	Daily	11 a.m.	via Chita
Tsingtao and Dalny	Today	11.30 a.m.	Saikio Maru
Newchwang	Aug. 31	12.30 p.m.	Chusan
W'wei, C'foo, T'sin	Sep. 1	8.30 a.m.	Shuntien
Tsingtao	Sep. 1	12.30 p.m.	Sinkiang

TO SOUTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Amoy	Today	10.30 a.m.	Sunning
Hongkong & Canton	Today	12 noon	Petroclus
Hongkong & Canton	Today	9 a.m.	Antilochus
Swatow	Aug. 31	10 a.m.	Paul Lecat
Amoy	Aug. 31	9 p.m.	Liangchow
Hongkong & Canton	Sep. 1	9 p.m.	Nanning
Swatow	Sep. 2	9 p.m.	P. Lincoln
	Sep. 3	9 p.m.	Yingchow

MISCELLANOUS PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Russia and Europe	Daily	11 a.m.	via Train
River ports	Daily	9 p.m.	via Train
Japan ports	Today	8 p.m.	Nagasaki M.
Japan ports	Aug. 31	8 p.m.	Kumano Maru
Manila, Australia and N. Zealand	Sep. 2	9 p.m.	P. Lincoln
Japan ports	Sep. 3	8 p.m.	Shanghai M.
Japan ports	Sep. 4	8 p.m.	Omi Maru

Men-Of-War In Port

Section	Date	Name	Flag and Rating
B N B	July 6	Bee	Br. Gun-boat
	Aug. 21	Calabeia	Ital Gunboat
M C W		Cricket	Br. Gun-boat
U S N B	Aug. 21	Despatch	Br. Cruiser
I C	Aug. 2	E. Carlotto	Ital. Gun-boat
M C W	Mar. 28	Mantis	Br. Gun-boat
I C	June 28	Quiros	Am. Gun-boat
M C W	Aug. 20	Widgeon	Br. Gunboat

Meteorological Reports

August 30, 1923.
Sun rises today at 5.34
Sun sets today at 18.31

SICCAWEI

(inches)	August 24.		August 25	
Barometer (variation for 24 hrs.	29.53	29.63	29.65	29.73
at 32° F. (variation for 12 hrs.	-0.06	†0.05	†0.23	†0.27
Wind—direction	†0.11	†0.17	†0.12	-0.10
Wind—miles per hour	NW	WNW	WNW	WNW
Temperature (Fahr.)	32.3	18.6	17.4	18.0
Humidity %	79°7	75°4	73°2	7986
Nebulosity (0 to 10)	77	87	94	82
Barometer (mean 4 obs.)	9	4	0	9
	5.63	0.00	—	—

SICCAWEI ABRIGDED REPORT
August 25.

	Mean 1922	24 hrs. Variation	Previous same period average
Total rainfall, since Jan. 1 to midnight before last (inches)	29.51	-0.13	29.78
Temperature (Min 75°6) (Fahr.) (Max. 81°7)	78°6	-3°4	79°2
Rainfall (inches)			

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Future Sailings

FOR AMERICA AND CANADA

Aug. 30 — New York via Suez	Antilochus	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 30 — New York	Eelbeck	Am. Adl. O. Line
Sep. 1 — New York via Suez	Bowen Castle	Br. Dod. & Co.
Sep. 1 — Portland, Ore.	West Keats	Am. Lumber Co.
Sep. 1 — San Francisco	†P. Pierce	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Sep. 4 — Seattle	Hawaii Maru	Jap. O. S. K.
Sep. 6 — New York	Lisbon Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Sep. 7 — San Francisco	Shinyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Sep. 7 — Portland, Ore.	Hannawa	Am. Lumber Co.
Sep. 8 — Vancouver	†E. of Asia	Br. C.P.S.
Sep. 9 — Seattle	Shidzuoka M.	Jap. N. Y. K.
Sep. 10 — Seattle	†P. Grant	Am. Adl. O. Line
Sep. 10 — New York	Atlas Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Sep. 14 — New York via Suez	Esther Dollar	Br. Dollar Co.
Sep. 15 — Vancouver	Grace Dollar	Br. Dollar Co.
Sep. 15 — Portland, Ore.	West Jena	Am. Lumber Co.
Sep. 18 — San Francisco	Siberia Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Sep. 18 — San Francisco	†P. Lincoln	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Sep. 20 — Vancouver	C. Freighter	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 22 — Seattle	†P. Madison	Am. Adl. O. Line
Sept. 24 — Vancouver	†E. of Canada	Br. C. P. S.
Sep. 25 — New York	Wm. Penn	Am. Adl. O. Line
Sep. 26 — Seattle	Arabia Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Sep. 29 — San Francisco	†P. Wilson	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Oct. 3 — San Francisco	Taiyo Maru	Jap. T. K. K.
Oct. 4 — Seattle	†P. McKinley	Am. Adl. O. Line
Oct. 6 — Vancouver	†E. of Russia	Br. C.P.S.
Oct. 13 — San Francisco	†P. Taft	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Oct. 20 — Vancouver	C. Skirmisher	Br. B. & S.
Oct. 27 — San Francisco	P. Cleveland	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Oct. 29 — San Francisco	Tenyo M.	Jap. T.K.K.

FOR JAPAN PORTS

Aug. 30 — Kobe, Yokohama	Hakozaki M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
Aug. 31 — Nagasaki	Nagasaki M	Jap. N.Y.K.
Sept. 1 — Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Kumano Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Sep. 2 — Yokkaichi, Yokohama	Chikugo Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Sep. 4 — Nagasaki	Shanghai M.	Jap. N.Y.K.

FOR EUROPE INDIA, STRAITS, ETC

Aug. 30 2.00 London, etc.	Patroclus	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 31 B.L. Calcutta	Kutsang	Br. J. M. & Co.
Aug. 31 1.00 Marseilles	†Paul Lecat	Fr. M. M. Cie
Sep. 3 — Calcutta	Janus	Br. M. M. & Co.
Sep. 4 — London	†Macedonia	Br. M.M. & Co.
Sep. 5 — Rotterdam	Saparoca	Dut. H. C. T. Co.
Sep. 8 — London	†Fushimim M	Jap. N.Y.K.
Sep. 10 — Hamburg, etc.	London Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Sep. 12 — Hamburg, etc.	Lycaon	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 13 — Hamburg, etc.	Glensanda	Br. G.L.E.A.
Sep. 14 — Marseilles	Andre Lebon	Fr. M.M. Cie
Sep. 15 — Bombay	Sicilia	Br. M.M. & Co.
Sep. 15 — Liverpool	Kt. Templar	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 18 — London	†Dongola	Br. M.M. & Co.
Sep. 19 — Antwerp, etc.	Mentor	Br. B. & S.
Sept. 22 — London, etc.	Mishima Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Sep. 28 — Marseilles	†Amboise	Fr. M.M. Cie
Sept. 30 — Liverpool	Telamon	Br. B. & S.
Oct. 2 — London	†Mantua	Br. M.M. & Co
Oct. 2 — Rotterdam, etc.	Kertosono	Dut. H.C.T. Co.
Oct. 3 — Rotterdam, etc.	Agapenor	Br. B. & S.
Oct. 10 — Hamburg, etc.	Phemius	Br. B. & S.
Oct. 12 — Marseilles	†Cordillere	Fr. M.M. Cie
Oct. 16 — London	†Karmala	Br. M.M. & Co.
Oct. 26 — Marseilles	†Angers	Fr. M.M. Cie
Oct. 30 — London—	†Caledonia	Br. M.M. & Co.
Oct. 31 — London	Telresias	Br. B.& S.
Nov. 11 — Marseilles	†Chili	Fr. M. M. Cie
Nov. 13 — London	†Malwa	Br. M.M. & Co.
Nov. 27 London	†Kalyan	Br. M.M. & Co.
Dec. 11 — London	†Devanha	Br. M.M. & Co.
Dec. 25 — London	†Kaiser-I-Hind	Br. M.M. & Co.

FOR AUSTRALIA FROM HONGKONG

Sep. 19 — Melbourne, etc.	†Tango Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Oct. 6 — Melbourne, etc.	†Arafura	Br. M.M. & Co.
Nov. 3 — Melbourne, etc.	†St. Albans	Br. M.M. & Co.
Dec. 1 — Melbourne, etc.	†Eastern	Br. M.M. & Co.

FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

Aug. 30 noon A. H'kong, C'ton	Sunning	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 30 4.00 Ningpo	Yungshin	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Aug. 30 4.00 Ningpo	Hsin Kiangteen	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Aug. 31 — Formosa	Fukuken M.	Jap. O. S. K.
Aug. 31 5.00 Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 31 5.00 Ningpo	Tsin Ningshao	Chi. N. S. S. N.
Sep. 1 — Hongkong, Manila	West Kents	Am. Lumber Co.
Sep. 1 D.L. S. H'kong, C'ton	Liangchow	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 2 D.L. A. H'kong, C'ton	Nanning	Br. B. &
Sep. 2 D.L. S. H'kong, C'ton	Waishing	Br. J. M. & Co.
Sept. 3 — Hongkong	Siberia Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Sep. 3 — Hongkong, Manila	W. Farsiou	Am. S. & B.
Sept. 3 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Lincoln	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
Sep. 4 D.L. S. H'kong, C'ton	Yingchow	Br. B. & S.
Sept. 6 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Madison	Am. Adl. O. Line
Sept. 7 — Hongkong	E. of Canada	Br. C. P. S.
Sep. 7 — Hongkong, Manila	Hannawa	Am. Lumber Co.
Sep. 13 — Hongkong	Arabia Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Sept. 14 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Wilson	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Sept. 15 — Hongkong, Manila	Taiyo M.	Jap. T.K.K.
Sep. 18 — Hongkong, Manila	P. McKinley	Am. Adl. O. Line
Sep. 21 — Hongkong	E. of Russia	Br. C.P.S.
Sep 28 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Taft	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Sep. 30 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Jackson	Am. Adl. O. Line

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

Aug. 30 noon W. C'foo, T'tsin	Hsinming	Chi. C.M.S.N Co.
Aug. 30 1.00 Tsingtao, Dairen	Saikio Maru	Jap. D.K.K.
Aug. 30 noon Tsingtao, etc.	Kohoku M.	Jap. O.S.K.
Aug. 30 D.L. W. C'foo, T'tsin	Fengtien	Br. S. & b.
Aug. 31 — Chinwangtao	Kwangping	Br. K.M.A.
Aug. 31 2.00 Newchwang	Chusan	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 1 D.L. W. C'foo, T'tsin	Tingsang	Br. J.M. & Co.
Sep. 1 2.00 Tsingtao	Sinkiang	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 1 10.00* W. C'foo, T'tsin	Shuntien	Br. B.& S.
Sep. 4 6.00* Tsingtao, Dairen	Sakaki Maru	Jap. D.K.K.
Sep. 15 — Darren, etc.	West Jena	Am. Lumber Co.

FOR RIVER PORTS

Aug. 30 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Luenko	Br. J. M. & Co.
Aug. 30 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangshun	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Aug. 30 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Poyang	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 31 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangyu	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co
Aug. 31 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kungwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Aug. 31 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Luenyi	Br. B. & S.
Sept. 1 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Wuchang	Br. B. & S.
Sept. 2 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangfoo	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Sep. 3 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangwah	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Sep. 3 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Sulwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Sep. 3 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Nganking	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 4 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Tuckwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Sep. 4 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Shengking	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 5 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangyung	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Sep. 5 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Wenchow	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 6 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangan	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Sep. 6 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kutwo	Br. J.M. & Co.
Sep. 6 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Tatung	Br. B. & S.

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On Thursday, August 30th 1923,
At 10 a.m.
THE WHOLE OF THE SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND SUNDRIES
(Mostly manufactured by ARTS & CRAFTS)
Comprising:—

Oakstained Hall table, hat racks, Bookcase and desk combined, Coal box, Teapoys, Sideboard, Round dining table, Dining chairs, Serge upholstered Chesterfield Arm Chairs, Large Oakstained Wardrobe, Cupboard, Double Bedstead, hair mattress, Dressing table, Marble top washstand, Bevelled Mirror, Oscillating table fan, Reed blinds, Brass stair guards, Brass rods, Desk, Roll door cabinet, Patent Step Ladder, Cushions, Curtains, Rugs, E. P. ware, Crockery, Pictures, Woollen blankets, Linen, Enamelled Iron Bath, Lavatory basin, 1 Gent's free wheel bicycle Gas and electric fittings etc.

MIDDLE SALESROOM

USEFUL HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND CLOTHING ETC.
On Thursday August 30th 1923,
Commencing at 10 a.m.
Comprising:—

White enamelled iron child's cot with mattress, G. E. Table fan, Brass mounted coal box, Child's folding chair, CAMERA WITH LEATHER CASE, Mandolin, Dress forms, Double & single mosquito nets, MIRROR DOOR WARDROBE, Chest of drawers, WHITE ENAMELLED SINGLE IRON BEDSTEAD WITH WIRE AND OTHER MATTRESS, GRAMOPHONE, AND RECORDS, BEVELLED MIRROR BACK HAT RACK, Coffee percolator, Dining table with extension leaf, Glass door cupboard, Oak stained sideboard, Tin bath with tray, Green tapestry covered spring arm chair, LARGE WOODEN FIGURES, PORCELAIN ORNAMENTS, BRONZE JOSS, Framed pictures, Books, Lace curtains, Flower stand, and sundries etc., etc.
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A Large assortment of Ladies' clothing, Boots, and shoes, etc.

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On Saturday September 1st 1923,
Commencing At 10 a.m.
EXCELLENT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND SUNDRIES
Comprising:—

Suite white enamel tapestry upholstered drawing room furniture complete 7 pieces, Large tapestry upholstered settee and easy chairs, (Horsehair filling) with white covers, Teak wood silk lined silver cabinet, Teak wood inlaid mantle mirror, Oak wood mantle mirror, Chinese red wood centre table with marble top, Chinese wood curio stand with marble top, Chinese red wood square lamp stand, New Mongolian carpet 9 x 12, German square heating stove kitchen stove, Round dining table, Wooden bedstead with mattresses, Cloth stand, Linen covered couch and arm chairs, Gramophone, Guitar, White enamelled framed looking glass, Smith typewriter, Pathe Gramophone, Embroidered purses, Canton fans, Books, Pictures, Glass ware, Crockery, E. P. Ware, 8 days clock, Chinese curios and sundries Etc., Etc.,
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On Friday, August 31st 1923
Commencing at 10 a.m.
SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS
Comprising:—

HALL, Drawing room, Dining room, Bed room, & Bath room, Teakwood mirror back hat and umbrella stand, Porcelain jardiniere and stand, Coloured pictures, Japanese matting, Brass mounted iron fenders, iron clocks, Silk tapestry covered drawing room suite, in mahogany stained teakwood frames, Centre table, Book case Lady's desk, Teakwood mirror back sideboard, Cellarette, Dining table, Dining chairs, Silver ware cabinet, Tapestry covered double spring couch, E. P. glass & crockery ware, Lace curtains, Double brass bedstead, Mahogany stained bed room suite, with bevelled edge mirrors, Linen cupboard, "Simmons" enamel iron bedstead, Large oakwood mirror door wardrobe, Dressing table, marble top washstand, Electric table lamp, wicker chairs, Porcelain vases & ornaments etc., etc.
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Pantry and kitchen as usual
Electric light fittings throughout
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1 Hornless gramophone & record cabinet

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Will sell by Public Auction within their Godown
NO. 40A KIANGSE ROAD
On Saturday, September 1st, 1923
At 10 a.m. (Forenoon)
A Quantity of Tientsin Carpets & Sundry goods
Comprising:—

85 Pieces fancy Tientsin carpets assorted sizes
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At 10 a.m. (Forenoon)
EXCELLENT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND SUNDRIES
Comprising:—

Mirror back hat and umbrella stand, hall table and settee, teak mahogany stained tapestry covered drawing room furniture, round table, jardiniere stand, curio cabinet, blackwood side table, flower stand, hearth stool, tapestry and leather covered double spring Chesterfield couch and easy chairs, oak mirror back sideboard, dinner wagon, extension dining table, chairs, silver ware cabinet, high screen, oak bevel-edged mirror bedroom furniture, white painted iron "Simmon's" bedsteads, blue drill and cretonne covered double spring couch and easy chairs, cherrywood writing desk, square table, sliding door bookcase, pictures, superior E. P. glass cut glass, & crockery ware, Chinese porcelain & bronze curios, etc.,
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Information For Mariners

THURSDAY, AUG. 30, 1923

(The night tide are higher than the day tides, they are about equal at 2 and 3 o'clock).
Approximate rise, at spring 4¼ h; at neaps, 5 h.
fall, at spring 3¼ h; at neaps, 7½ h.

Time	Range	Time	Range
2h. 14m.	9ft. 3in.	2h. 31m.	9ft. 3in.

High Water at Tungsha Lightship
(The night tides are higher than the day tides).
Approximate rise, 5½ h; approximate fall, 7 h.

	A.M.		P.M.	
	H.	M.	H.	M.
	1	18	1	35

Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset,

Moon		Sun		Daylight	Dark
Rises	Sets	Rises	Sets		
8.45 p.m.	8.47 a.m.	5h. 36m.	6h. 25m.	4h. 51m.	7h. 10m.

Mean Barometric Pressure. August 29.71 in. 754.9 mm.

B.W.A. TO GIVE GOOD PROGRAM TOMORROW NIGHT

What bids fair to rank as one of the major musical events of the new season is the program that will be given tomorrow night under the auspices of the British Women's Association at the Majestic Hotel. The program made up of tuneful numbers from Gilbert and Sullivan operas is to be presented by a company that includes much of Shanghai's best musical talent. It is as follows:

"Strange Adventure!"
Yeoman of the Guard
Mrs. Godby, Mrs. Ashley
Mr. Dumbarton, Mr. Butt
"When Britain Really Ruled the waves"
Iolanthe
Mr. H. E. Muriel.
"The Sun Whose Rays"
The Mikado
Mrs. E. Snowden Jones
The Policeman's Lot.....
Pirates of Penzance
Mr. H. Langley
"Is Life a Boon?"
Yeoman of the Guard
Mr. G. F. Dumbarton.
II
"When a Wooer Goes A-Wooing"
Yeoman of the Guard
Mrs. Godby, Mrs. Ashley,
Mr. Dumbarton, Mr. Butt
"When a Merry Maiden Marries"
Gondoliers
Mrs. H. E. Muriel
"The Duke of Plaza-Toro".....
Gondoliers
Mr. G. B. Stormes
"The Merryman and his Maid"
Yeoman of the Guard
Mr. & Mrs. H. E. Muriel.
GOD SAVE THE KING.

Ontario Gold Mines Set New Records

New York, July 14.—Dome Mines has increased its production to a new high record of $15,000 a day, or at the rate of $5,500,000 a year. This exceeds the June mark of $14,059 daily average, with an aggregate of $421,799 for the monthly period, which was the previous best showing ever made by the company.

It is rumored that Dome directors are becoming interested in her Preston-East Dome property, as 2 of its ore bodies are trending toward this adjoining ground. Whether this move presages the acquisition of control by Dome or whether it is purely an individual operation has not yet been ascertained.

Hollinger will proceed at once in the development of 25,000 horsepower at the Long Sault on the Abitibi River, and contracts are to be awarded within the next few days, it is learned. Meantime to eliminate the possibility of any working delays, the company will also install Diesel engines, aggregating 1,200 horsepower, to serve as an auxiliary power unit.

McIntyre-Porcupine set a new high record in securing close to $230,000 in bullion from 28,000 tons of ore handled, despite the loss of 10 percent operating time through power troubles. The company is now handling 30,000 tons a month, producing upwards of $300,000 in each 3-day period. McIntyre is also planning to install auxiliary power plant facilities, probably Diesel engines similar to those adopted by Hollinger. Later on a shaft to reach a depth of 5,000 feet is reported to be in project.

REMOVAL OF THE JADE TREE

Pending the completion of the new Jade Tree Studio buildings on Route Ghisi, a temporary sales room has been opened at 21 Whangpoo Road, near the Astor House, opposite the American Consulate. A varied stock of Chinese novelties and art goods will be carried at this address.

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